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SIAM TAKES UP MODERN WAYS.

Bangkok, the Busy Metropolis of Malay World, Is Discarding Oriental Methods.

EXPORT TRADE GROWING.

Menam River, the Great Artery of Commerce, Is Crowded with Steam Cargo Vessels.

[BY ELIZA R. SCIDMORE.]

BANGKOK, Siam, Jan. 30.—Bangkok puts its worst foot forward, shows its wrong side first, and one has to keep believing and remembering what he has read and been told, not to flee disillusioned without waiting to see what lies beyond the first miles of a slum Chinatown.

Originally, Bangkok's streets were all water streets. Everything fronted on or floated on the river, or on the network of creeks and canals that lead to it from the broad rice plain that extends leagues around. Every one went to and fro in boats, long after the first foreign residents came, and all the older legations front on the river, down in the heart of the native city, two and three miles away from the palace quarter.

In the old days, too, the elephant was a means of locomotion, and the great beasts tramped the miry path or lane behind the river front compounds that has since become a street—the New road, where electric tram cars push their way and the most disreputable jinrikishas rattle along beside turnouts of every degree.

The American, British, and French legations are almost side by side, and the hotels, the banks, the buildings of great mercantile firms, the customs and postoffice ranged beside them, make this the important, the foreign quarter of the river bank.

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There is constant life and movement on the river that one never tires of watching, everything from ocean steamers and British gunboats to the tiniest native canoe flying by in an hour. Long cargo and house boats from the far north country drop down with the swift current, and legions of swift, open steam launches dart to and fro rocking the canoes and small boats with their wash.

The Menam river, the chief artery of trade and communication, flows down from the highlands of the Laos states on the north boundary of Siam, bringing the rich products to the market. Ocean steamers can ascend 100 miles farther and small steamers can navigate all its length at high water.

To these people of aquatic habits and traditions, the river is the natural highway—even their idea of paradise includes a river, where the tide runs up on one side to match the swift current running down on the other! What more could a boatman and fisherman want?

From all the up country come teak and beeves for export, and from the lower plains region the unceasing stream of rice flows in during all the dry season—rice that has grown and flourished in the rich alluvial mud brought down by the river in flood. The fields are fertilized each season with the overflow waters as on the Nile, and what that great river is to Egypt the Menam is to Siam.

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Irrigation works and a canal system of communication have extended the area of culture and brought the rice farmers near to the market, and this chief source of wealth in Siam is increasing, augmenting yearly. A score of steam rice mills here in Bangkok, furnished with European machinery, husk and clean the grain after it has come from the primitive thrashing floors, and it is sacked and sent off to Hongkong and Singapore as fast as the forty-odd steamships employed in the rice trade can go to and fro. The rainy season ends with October, the rice is harvested from November to the end of December, and by January the rice mills are pounding night and day. For three months the mills and the ships work overtime; then for three months the hurry subsides, and with the middle of the rainy season—April to October—rice ships are tied up in rows and hunt other cargo.

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Like too many of the hotels in the east, Bangkok's first hostelry affords one an experience in residence. One pays in proportion more than the Waldorf's rates, of course, this time in Mexican silver dollars, which, counted out in Siamese ticals at the daily rate of exchange, is sometimes more than eight Mexican dollars for each twenty-four hours of slim entertainment.

So much has passed current for years in the east concerning Bangkok's cholera germ crowded hotel, it had long been such a byword, that the reality feel short of my anticipations. A long new wing and a ballroom has just been completed, and in it one has the cleanliness that goes with new timbers, new plaster, new paint.

Twenty-two rooms in a row extend in line behind the ballroom, which occupies the whole water frontage and outlook. The rooms, with a long gallery or veranda running on one side as the public corridor, open at the other side upon a service veranda, where a private bathroom attends each room, and there is space for airing and drying clothes.

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A simple menu, the modest table d'hôte fixed menu of a European hotel is served at the noon tiffin and at the 8 o'clock dinner, one meal greatly resembling the other, and both offering the omnipresent curry and rice with a great choice of ornamental condiments.

Bangkok curry has some reputation and is undeniably good, and with rice and toast and good beef no one can call himself ill fed.

Every one rises early in the tropics—at 5, one Cochin China rooster in the neighborhood heralds the dawn in strident peans that murder sleep forever after. The street voices begin, children chatter, the boy creeps in with toast and tea, and the dashing water of many bathrooms announces the white man's morning religion.

There are no bathtubs here, nor at Singapore, nor in Java. An earthen water jar, a dipper, and a tin or cement floor is all that he finds as aid to godliness. The dash of water is recommended as most hygienic and refreshing, and the strenuous tropical way is vaunted by its followers as far better for one than our indolent temperate zone way of sitting down supinely (slothfully) and soaping at ease in a tub; or pulling a string and making the water dash and shower one by itself.

Every one sallies forth in the cool of the morning to ride or drive or walk, and complaining voices are heard at laggard's doors warning them that it is 6 or a quarter past 6 o'clock, and time to hurry.

SUMMARY OF The Daily Tribune.

FRIDAY, MARCH 25, 1904.

THE WEATHER—
Showers Friday, possibly turning to snow flurries at midnight, followed by fair Saturday, much colder, high southwest shifting to northwest winds.
Wind, W. max. 53, at 7:20 p. m.
Temperature, max., 65; min., 37.
Sunrise, 5:46; sunset, 6:08. Moonset, 1:29 a. m.

RUSSO-JAPANESE WAR:—
Tokio report says Japanese sank seven merchant steamers at entrance to Port Arthur harbor during bombardment on night of March 22. **Page 1.**
Russia makes hurried plans to resist attack at Newchwang; declared Japan will land army on Chinese neutral soil. **Page 1.**
Destruction of Russian cruiser Bayan at Port Arthur on March 16 officially denied; stories of recent land engagements in Corea declared untrue. **Page 2.**

LOCAL:—
Three persons killed, many hurt, and scores of buildings damaged in wind and rain storm last night at Indiana Harbor. Other suburbs suffered severely in gale. Much havoc in Chicago. **Page 1.**
Residence of Edward T. Jeffery, president of Denver and Rio Grande railroad, 1842 Michigan avenue, robbed of $3,000 in jewelry by porch climbers. **Page 1.**
Mrs. Mary E. Crosby, 405 West Forty-third street, and Mrs. Lasick, 7804 Greenwood avenue, attempted suicide during storm; former succeeded. **Page 1.**
City club refused to prosecute policemen accused by Piper; President Seeberger of Citizens' association admitted Hoyt King wrote part. **Page 3.**
City demanded that telephone companies remove instruments used by gamblers; several successful raids made, prisoners included eight women. **Page 3.**
Former Bailiff Lynch, at Sullivan disbarment proceedings, called himself "social outcast, in torture for five years," and accused Sullivan of hounding. **Page 3.**
Mrs. Mary Moncure Parker, writer of plays which were censured, replied to critics and withdrew as candidate for presidency of Arche Woman's club; defended love as theme. **Page 3.**
Babies attended meeting of Holmes Woman's club and enjoyed life while workers discussed the problem. **Page 7.**
Ald. Dunn will seek reconsideration of city council vote filing anti-pass ordinance. **Page 14.**
Sanitary trustees spent busy day trying to explain $35,000 extra appropriation to Congressman Lorimer's contracting firm. **Page 13.**

DOMESTIC:—
John Turner, English anarchist whom government is trying to deport, declared at New York anarchist meeting that question of assassinating rulers must be left to anarchists individually. **Page 1.**
Government's evidence against Senator Burton of Kansas, accused of accepting illegal fees, concluded at St. Louis; contradictory statements told of. **Page 5.**

FOREIGN:—
Bangkok described by Miss Scidmore as the busy metropolis of the Malay world; Menam river the highway for ocean steamers for 100 miles into the interior. **Page 1.**
Sir Edwin Arnold, poet and orientalist, author of "Light of Asia" and other notable poems, died in London. **Page 2.**
Queen Alexandra, accompanied by Sir Thomas Lipton and members of the royal household, visited the Alexandra trust and partook of a 9 cent meal. **Page 2.**

WASHINGTON:—
Specific charges against Judge Swayne of Florida District court filed with house committee by members appointed to investigate; politics blamed by him. **Page 5.**
Blunders of Representative Overstreet made it necessary for republican majority in congress to adopt special rule for amending appropriation bill to increase salaries of rural carriers. **Page 5.**

POLITICAL:—
Republicans of Twenty-first ward tonight open campaign for R. R. McCormick; speaking at Marquette club; hot contests elsewhere. **Page 3.**
Col. Lowden selected to play "David" to Yates' "Goliath" in Adams county, where he is expected to supply the requisite smooth round missles to "lay out" the governor. **Page 3.**
Congressman Lorimer stirred to action by complaints from Lowden's managers, has begun an active campaign; Congressman Foss denied "mixing" in Lake county. **Page 3.**
New York Twenty-ninth Assembly district convention made demonstration for Cleveland as democratic candidate for president. **Page 5.**
Ex-State Auditor Merriam of Iowa denies charges that he collected insurance graft and will appear before legislative committee today. **Page 13.**

TRADE AND INDUSTRY:—
Members of Chicago engineers' and teamsters' unions fought over delivery of coal at Stock Exchange building; three arrested. **Page 14.**
Commonwealth Electric company acquired 187,117 square feet at Cologne and Quarry streets, Chicago, for $65,000; report of purchase at Clark and Monroe streets for a theater discredited. **Page 13.**
New York stock market advance laid to investment buying of Northern Pacific and Northern Securities shares, followed by short covering. **Page 8.**
Wheat market shorts disturbed by predictions of cold wave in Kansas and Nebraska, and higher cash prices; closing at 1½ to 2¾ cents net gain. **Page 8.**
New York stock market traders perplexed over sudden and heavy buying of Union Pacific and other issues attributed to merger redistribution. **Page 9.**

SPORTING:—
White Sox played good baseball and defeated New Orleans team by score of 9 to 2. **Page 9.**
Racing season at Bennings opened; Shrine won the Spring handicap; Ralph Young won the Arkansas Derby. **Page 9.**
"Young" Corbett and Jimmy Britt are to fight at San Francisco tonight; Herrera and Abel are scheduled to fight at local club tonight. **Page 9.**
Further damaging evidence introduced against E. E. Farley in "ringing" case at Detroit. **Page 9.**
Ban Johnson returned from the east and denied likelihood of war between American and National leagues. **Page 9.**

MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.

Port.	Arrived.	Sailed.
BRISBANE		Aorangi.
CHERBOURG	Pretoria	Alice.
LIVERPOOL	Ivernia	
LIVERPOOL	Aurania	
GLASGOW	Ethiopia	
LIVERPOOL		Bavarian.
LIVERPOOL		Southwark.
LONDON		Marquette.
NAPLES	Luisi	
NEW YORK	Barbarossa	Bluecher.
NEW YORK	Majestic	La Savoie.
NEW YORK		Main.
NEW YORK		Pennsylvania.
QUEENSTN	Celtic	Noordland.
QUEENST'N		Oceanic.
SAN FRANC'O.		Sonoma.

CYCLONE STRIKES CITY'S SUBURBS.

Three Killed, Many Injured, and Buildings Wrecked by Terrific Wind at Indiana Harbor.

DIE WHEN STORE FALLS.

Number of Residents Hurt at Thornton, While Other Towns Suffer Damage from Gale and Floods.

SUBURBS WORST HIT BY STORM.

Indiana Harbor,	East Chicago,
Hammond,	Washington Heights,
Thornton,	South Chicago,
Morgan Park,	Fernwood,
Dauphin Park,	Grand Crossing,
Rogers Park,	Evanston.

A storm of great fury burst over Chicago and its suburbs early last evening. It reached the proportions of a cyclone south of the city, causing death and widespread destruction. From Evanston on the north to Indiana Harbor far to the south the gale played havoc with dwellings, telegraph wires, and trees.

The force of the storm was greatest at Indiana Harbor, where three persons are know to have lost their lives and several others were fatally injured. Large property losses are reported there and at East Chicago and Hammond.

At Indiana Harbor the fury of the storm lasted but two minutes. This was one reason for putting it in the cyclone category.

The victims at Indiana Harbor had taken refuge from the rain in the two story brick store building of Louis Barker. The building was blown to the ground and completely demolished.

Caught When Store Collapses.

No one had time to escape before the crash came, and a panic followed it. Mr. Barker, the proprietor, who is father-in-law of Manager Frank of the Sherman house, was buried in the ruins and was dead when reached by the rescuers. Others were removed unconscious, and are not expected to live. The body of a boy, unknown, was taken from the building later. The body of a man, also unknown, has not been recovered.

Appeals for assistance in caring for the wounded reached Hammond at 10 o'clock by telegraph, and three ambulances were dispatched from St. Margaret's hospital. Shortly afterward, telegraphic communication with Indiana Harbor was lost, and no further report of the disaster was learned until the return of one of the ambulances at midnight.

Dead at Indiana Harbor.

BARKER, LOUIS, proprietor of store, crushed by falling of building; dead when reached.
UNKNOWN MAN.
UNIDENTIFIED BOY.

Known Injured, Indiana Harbor.

Barker, Mrs. Louis, internally injured, not expected to recover.
Barker, Sadie, daughter of Louis Barker; bruised.
Barker, Susan, daughter, bruised.
Barker, Harry, son, bruised.
Robbins, Miss Susie, 20 years old, skull fractured and spine injured; taken to St. Margaret's hospital, Hammond; will die.
Travis, Leonard, clerk in Barker store, both legs broken, body crushed; not expected to recover.
Thall, M., body crushed and injured internally; condition serious.
Travis, Marion Hall, bruised and thought to be injured internally.
Van Dine, Henry, 30 years old, mill worker from Holland, Mich., skull fractured; will die.

Injured at Hammond.

Shade, Charles, 523 Sibley avenue, 20 years old, hurt by raising timber while rescuing mother; likely to recover.

The work of rescuing the injured at Indiana Harbor was carried on during the night and several trips were made by the ambulances through the rain from Indiana Harbor to Hammond.

Both of these towns as well as East Chicago were in total darkness owing to the demolition of the Hammond Illuminating company's plant by lightning.

Many Buildings Are Wrecked.

In addition to the store buildings destroyed at Indiana Harbor, six others are reported to have been almost totally destroyed and thirty-two unroofed.

The new South Bay hotel was partly wrecked, and three or four brick stores razed by the wind. Telegraph wires are down in all directions, and the railroad tracks are blocked with debris. The Pennsylvania tower at Indiana Harbor and the Pennsylvania railroad crossing was wrecked, the tower man being badly hurt. Several passenger trains on the Pennsylvania were blocked, and on several other roads all traffic was tied up for hours.

Lightning Fires Big Plant.

Lightning struck the plant of the Republic Iron and Steel company at East Chicago and started a fire which caused $1,000 damage. Owing to the severity of the storm and the quantity of water in the streets the fire department was greatly hampered in its work of fighting the blaze. The department was also called on to aid the local police department in its work of assisting those who had been driven from their homes by the storm. It was said early this morning that a dozen dwellings in the place were destroyed and that the business district of the town was flooded. The wrecked buildings include the opera house, a three story structure.

At Hammond four dwelling houses were destroyed and three barns demolished. The residence of W. H. Hammond had one entire wall blown in. The home of Emil Bunde was struck by lightning, and that of W. H. Gostlin was unroofed. Except on one street, the service of street cars was stopped by wreckage.

Many Injured at Thornton.

Mounted couriers were sent to Dalton from Thornton after the storm to summon physicians to care for persons injured in the storm which reached that place shortly before 8 o'clock. The German Lutheran church at Thornton was wrecked by the wind. E. Gardner's house, a frame structure, was blown into a stone quarry and wrecked.

The wind also blew down the dwelling of A. Swanke and destroyed a part of George Gross' saloon. A number of persons who were in the saloon at the time were injured by being struck by the wreckage. Gardner and his wife were also severely hurt and it is thought Gardner will die. An attempt to obtain the aid of physicians at Dalton by telephone proved fruitless, as the wires between the villages had been blown down. It was then decided to send the mounted couriers.

At Washington Heights several persons were injured, houses were blown down or unroofed, and it is feared that more serious results will develop today. In Morgan Park

(Continued on page 4, column 1.)

THE LATEST INNOVATION IN NEW YORK.



Professor—"Is there any solitude in the world greater than that of a stranger in a great city?"



"Well, surely, a man need not be lonely with an institution like that close at hand."



Professor—"I like intellectual ladies, but I'm afraid she's too intellectual for me. I'll hire No. 20."



The professor and his guide, No. 20, see the sights.

PLEA FOR ASSASSINS.

Anarchist John Turner Apologizes for Deeds of Blood.

DOES NOT PREACH MURDER.

Says Slaying of Monarchs Is Matter for Individual Judgment.

New York, March 24.—[Special.]—When John Turner, the English anarchist, whose proposed deportation is to be argued before the United States Supreme court on April 4, was asked at an anarchist meeting at Cooper union this evening the plain, direct query, whether he believed the assassination of rulers had a tendency to promote the cause of anarchy, he confessed he did not care to give an answer to the question. He considered it a problem which must be left to the judgment of individual anarchists.

But on this he is clear: That you should not "advocate assassination" and sit back in safety while urging another on.

Turner made a mild address. But at the close the chairman announced that questions might be asked.

Noncommittal as to Good of Murder.

The question as to the advantages of murder came about fourth or fifth. Turner read it out loudly and distinctly.

"Is assassination of rulers an advantage to the cause of anarchism?"

"That," he continued after a moment's pause, "is a funny question. In answering it it would be necessary to go away back into history. It would not do to talk about recent events.

"In order to judge whether assassination has been or not of advantage a necessary interval of time must elapse.

"I confess I do not care to answer the question. It would be necessary to take all the cases of history and consider them in a broad, philosophical spirit in all their details and bearings, and that I am not at present prepared to do. Each one of you must consider the subject for himself and decide it for himself.

Inactive Advocate a Coward.

"But there is one branch of the subject on which I can speak frankly, and I am glad I am here tonight to do so. Frankly, I do not favor the advocacy of assassination.

"The reason is because the advocacy may incite others to act, and I hold the man who sits back safely and urges upon another to do something he thinks ought to be done is a coward.

"As to the question of violence I can only say anarchists are the only ones who believe society can be carried on without organized violence. If there have been instances of violence, if persons have committed deeds of violence, believing—I do not say rightly or wrongly believing; I do not say that—but believing they were moved by duty to their fellow men, before you judge them you must consider what has been their training; what spectacles of violence have they been accustomed to see and to submit to from society.

"Then take into consideration that they may have felt themselves justified—whether they were wrong or right I do not undertake to say, but that they felt themselves justified—in giving back in homeopathic doses what they had so long seen administered.

WIVES TIRE OF LIFE.

Two Seek Death, First Making Attempt Before City Hall.

ALLEGE CRUELTY AS CAUSE.

One Uses Fatal Razor and Another May Succumb to Bullet.

Two wives grew tired of life last night in Chicago. One of them succeeded in killing herself; the other may die. The despondency of one is attributed to cruelty of a husband. The cases are:

CROSBY, MRS. MARY E., 405 West Forty-third street, cut her throat while in her kitchen. Her husband arrested.

LASICK, MRS. MARY, 7804 Greenwood avenue, shot herself while standing in the shadow of the city hall.

Seeks Death at City Hall.

Mrs. Lasick, disheartened by an hour's wandering in the rain swept streets, which she preferred to abuse at home, crept behind the Drake fountain at the city hall, seeking death. The report of a pistol was heard in the Central police station, and policemen ran to the street. A search of considerable duration was required to discover the woman's hiding place in the shadow of the big statue. She was conscious when found, but had not sufficient strength to hold the pistol to her head when she attempted to shoot again.

At the Samaritan hospital the woman revived sufficiently to tell her name and her address, and something of the trouble at home which had led to her attempt on her life. Her husband, John Lasick, a workman in the South Chicago rolling mills, had beaten her, she said. She had left home in the afternoon, and had wandered in the streets until the rain began. Then, dreading to return, she continued to walk until drenched.

"Let me die. Let me die," she pleaded in German when Dr. Blake Baldwin, after removing the bullet from where it had lodged under the skin of her cheek, told a policeman she might live. Then she grew too weak to talk any more.

Husband Arrested and Freed.

Thomas C. Crosby, husband of Mrs. Crosby, was arrested soon after his wife's death, but was released an hour afterward. Crosby declares that while he was away from home at 8 o'clock, his wife, left alone in the kitchen, took his razor and cut her throat. According to his story, he returned just as the woman completed the deed, crying "I've fixed myself now."

Crosby called Dr. G. K. Tillotson, 4134 Wentworth avenue. The doctor placed cotton on the wound, then said the woman would have to be taken to the hospital, and left the house. He called the police ambulance. The police saw it would be of no use to take the woman to a hospital, as she was almost dead.

The ambulance was sent for by the Rev. E. F. Rice of St. Cecelia's church, Forty-fifth street and Fifth avenue. The woman died in the priest's presence.

Lieutenant of Police Downey learned that the woman had received a blow recently on the head, and at first laid it to the husband. Later the husband was released. This, it is suspected, deranged her and caused her to kill herself.

RICH HAUL OF GEMS.

Porch Climbers Get $3,000 Booty at House of E. T. Jeffery.

WHILE THE FAMILY DINES.

Invaders in Michigan Boulevard Escape and Leave No Traces.

Porch climbers entered the residence of Edward T. Jeffery, president of the Denver and Rio Grande railroad, 1842 Michigan avenue, last night and carried off $3,000 worth of diamonds and jewelry. In escaping the burglars slid down one of the wooden supports of the porch and tore it loose. Among the articles taken were many heirlooms.

Members of the Jeffery family were at dinner when a maid was startled by a noise on the upper floor. She was sent to investigate and found everything in order. After dinner Miss Jeffery went to her room, and opening the bureau drawers discovered the theft of the jewelry.

Some of the Jewels Taken.

Nothing was disturbed in the house but the articles in the bureau in Miss Jeffrey's room. Among the articles taken were: One diamond and sapphire ring valued at $700; one solitaire ring, $350; one sapphire ring, $250; and a number of heirlooms.

Two rings, one a wedding ring, belonging to the late Mrs. J. C. Clarke, Miss Jeffrey's grandmother, were also taken. They were highly prized by the young woman. A watch which was lying on the top of the dresser was overlooked by the burglars. The thieves evidently were frightened by the servant as she came upstairs.

No clew was left by the men. Instead of jumping to the grass plot from the porch the burglars leaped to a fence and then to a walk. The police were unable to find any footprints that might lead to a clew.

Try Another House.

Just previous to the time the burglars gained entrance to the Jeffery residence an attempt was made to force a window in the home of James R. Owen at 1902 Michigan avenue. A burglar catch baffled the robbers.

James C. Jeffery, a son of the railroad president, was not at home at the time. He lost a stickpin. He is a member of the law firm of Eddy, Haley & Wetten.

Mr. Jeffery, the elder, is closely associated with George Gould in railroad work. His family came from the east a few months ago. He was at one time general manager of the Illinois Central railroad.

CARRIES OWN CHILD'S COFFIN.

Waukegan Man Dispenses with Hearse and Undertaker and Uses the Street Cars.

Accompanied by his wife and small daughter, M. Grieser yesterday walked down Belvidere street, Waukegan, carrying in his arms a little white coffin containing the body of Mrs. Grieser's infant, whose death occurred the day before. The party took a street car to Highland Park, where they formerly resided. They had decided the services of an undertaker and a hearse were unnecessary. The burial was at Highland Park cemetery

JAPS BLOCK WAY TO PORT ARTHUR.

Tokio Reports Seven Merchant Steamers Sunk at Harbor Entrance March 22.

DONE UNDER A HEAVY FIRE.

Russians Hurry Work on Defenses of Newchwang, Fearing Attack from Army Landed in China.

DECLARE MIKADO'S PLANS FAIL.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]
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Tokio, March 24.—The Japanese fleet renewed the attempt to block up the entrance to Port Arthur harbor on the night of the 22d inst. Sixteen warships escorted seven merchant steamers to the mouth of the harbor. Under cover of the bombardment the steamers ran in and were sunk by their crews in desired positions.

Details have not yet been received, but it is expected an official report will be issued this evening.

No fewer than 3,000 Japanese officers and blue jackets volunteered for the duty of manning the steamers destined to block Port Arthur.

News Not Yet Confirmed.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

LONDON, March 25, 3 a. m.—The circumstantial report from Tokio that the Japanese succeeded in bottling up Port Arthur on the night of March 22 is not confirmed from any other quarter.

The Chefoo correspondent of the Daily Mail sends the narrative of the captain of a Chinese junk that was chartered by Japanese newspaper men to visit Port Arthur. He says he landed at Fangiason, near Port Arthur, on March 10, and walked to Port Arthur, where he arrived the next day.

Ready to Abandon Port Arthur.

The captain reports that the hills around Port Arthur are a network of wire and other obstacles to check any advance from the land side. The railway sidings have been increased and 700 cars are held in readiness in case a retreat is ordered. The western forts have been extensively damaged by the various bombardments and now are silent. One of the eastern forts also is out of action.

Cannot Stand a Siege.

He found prices of provisions excessive, and is convinced that there will be starvation in the event of a siege. The troops are in good condition, but they are inexpert marksmen, being inferior even to the Chinese. Emboldened by what they have seen the natives are growing restive and eager for independence.

Eight battleships and cruisers and ten destroyers have not been injured. They often issue from the harbor, but never go far from the forts. Inside of the entrance there are a number of damaged ships. There is a boom across the entrance to the harbor, which is alive with mines. Troops are being withdrawn between Port Arthur and Dalny. Their present strength is 22,000.

Chinese Kept Prisoners.

A number of Chinese, with the permission of the Russians, departed for Newchwang, but when they reached Kinchau they were forcibly taken from trains and compelled to work on the construction of a new fort.

In order to prevent the Chinese from escaping from Port Arthur their junks have been destroyed. Three junks with a hundred Chinese aboard left a village near Liaotishan on March 14. They were sighted by soldiers guarding the lighthouse and a destroyer sent after them. The destroyer fired on the junks, killing four Chinese. The remainder were captured and imprisoned in Port Arthur.

A new fort is being built east of the Liaotishan lighthouse because the Japanese at present cannot be reached by the Russian fire when their warships are behind Liaotishan.

Russia Waits First Blow.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 24.—Russia expects Japan's army to strike the first blow in the vicinity of Newchwang. It is firmly believed here that Japanese troops will be landed on neutral Chinese territory on the west coast of the Liaotung gulf, either at Tienkiancheng, in Kinchau bay, or at Shanhaikwan.

Rush Work on Fortifications.

The construction of batteries at Newchwang continues to be feverishly pushed, and it is believed that that place will shortly be in a condition to resist even a determined assault by the Japanese.

Eighty-two field engineers have left for the front for service in connection with the erection of fortifications.

Japanese in China.

Although slow to believe that Japan deliberately contemplates a violation of her pledge to respect neutral Chinese territory, the reports received at the ministry of war are so specific that they compel consideration.

The presence of disguised Japanese soldiers acting as spies along the Shanhaikwan road has been established, and Russian agents report that there is every indication of an intended landing on the west coast of the gulf of Liaotung.

The information conveyed by these agents

seems to coincide with other information, indicating a complete change in the Japanese plan of campaign or of its entrance into a second stage practically involving the abandonment of further heavy landings of troops in Corea.

According to advices received by the government, there are only about 70,000 Japanese troops in the hermit kingdom at present. It is considered possible that the Japanese reckoned on a complete mobilization there much sooner, but that the difficulties met with in transporting troops from Japan and over the roads in Corea proved more serious than expected, and the Japanese found themselves unable to deliver a frontal attack in Manchuria before the Russian troops arrived in sufficient force to check them.

At any rate, the latest advices indicate that the Japanese will not send many more soldiers into Corea. They may make a diversion at Possiet bay in the direction of Vladivostok, but their main objective henceforth will be in the gulf of Liaotung.

Would Give Japs Advantage.

If the information received is correct the Japanese have discovered that a landing on the peninsula is too hard a nut to crack and have elected to land on the Chinese side, where there will be no army to repel them. The only two points feasible for landing are Chinwantao and Tienkiaucheng, which are connected by rail respectively with Shanhaikwan and Kaukiau on the Pekin railroad. A landing at either place would give the Japanese possession of a splendid strategic line by which to strike the Russian flank, and if desired to hold Pekin in subjection.

The Russians have little faith in the Chinese Gens, Ma and Mu, who might disregard orders from Pekin and join forces with the Japanese.

Russia Takes Precautions.

The Russian military authorities have felt themselves compelled to consider the foregoing possibility and to take the necessary precautions. The international complications which might arise out of a Japanese landing on neutral Chinese territory have also received careful consideration, for, although it is specifically declared that it is not believed Japan would dare to violate the agreement made in response to the note of United States Secretary of State Hay, as well as in Japan's other public provisions, there is reason to affirm that the Russian line of conduct in such a contingency has already been decided upon in principle. The assurances obtained from Pekin require that the Chinese authorities should oppose with their army such a step on the part of Japan.

May Force China to War.

A high Russian official said tonight:

"It would have worse consequences for other powers than Russia if Japan should enter neutral territory, for such a step would obviously be for the purpose of inveigling China into the fight.

"If Japan should be successful in this there would be an uprising against foreigners, which would be tenfold greater than the Boxer affair. The mere possibility is pregnant with all sorts of dangers, but we can hardly believe that Japan will venture to violate the neutrality of China, as she did that of Corea."

It is learned that the Russian military attaché at Pekin is now at Newchwang watching the movements of the Chinese troops.

Typhoid Epidemic in Jap Army.

An epidemic of typhoid fever is reported among the Japanese troops in the Seoul and Pingyang districts.

Information has been received here to the effect that the Japanese in Corea have reached Topita. It is believed those who recently landed at Plaskin bay have returned to Gensan.

Port of Newchwang Open.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

NEWCHWANG, March 24.—A heavy rain is revealing and the ice in the river is rapidly shifting. Boats now are crossing the river. The first mail steamer is expected to arrive next Saturday.

A civilian who has arrived from Liaoyang reports that there are 70,000 Russian troops between Liaoyang and Haicheng.

The nervousness caused by expected looting is being increased by the constant influx of strange natives who are supposed to be brigands. Householders are arming their servants.

The local branch of the Red Cross society is making energetic preparations to aid the wounded refugees. Five hospitals are being built. Medical missionaries will give their services.

It is reported that the Japanese at Shanhaikwan secretly are enlisting Chinese as regular troops.

Kouropatkin Crosses Lake Baikal.

CHITA, Siberia, March 25.—Gen. Kouropatkin passed through this place this morning, having remained but a few hours at Irkutsk and expeditiously crossed Lake Baikal.

Outpost Fighting Reported.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

TIENTSIN, March 24.—There was a trifling encounter between Russian and Japanese scouts near Taicheng on March 20. The Russians withdrew in the direction of Chingsan.

TOGO TELLS OF BOMBARDMENT.

Japanese Vice Admiral's Official Report of Attack on Port Arthur on March 21 and 22.

TOKIO, March 24.—Vice Admiral Togo's report of the fifth attack on Port Arthur, which was made on March 22, reached Tokio tonight, and is as follows:

"The combined fleet acted according to the plan arranged.

"Two flotillas of destroyers were outside Port Arthur, as instructed, from the night of the 21st until the morning of the 22d. Although during this time our destroyers were under the fire of the enemy, they sustained no damage. The main fleet arrived off Port Arthur at 8 o'clock on the morning of the 22d.

"I dispatched a part of the fleet in the direction of Pigeon bay and ordered the battleships Fuji and Yashima to make an indirect bombardment against the inner side of the port.

"During the bombardment the enemy's ships gradually came out of the harbor, and at the time when the indirect bombardment stopped, which was about 2 o'clock, the number of Russian ships was five battleships, four cruisers, and several destroyers. We believed the enemy was trying by making a movement of their fleet to draw us near the forts.

"The enemy's ships shelled us indirectly, and many of their shots fell near the battleship Fuji, but our ships sustained no damage. About 3 o'clock our vessels withdrew off the port."

CZARINA DEVOTED TO RED CROSS

Young Empress Wins the Hearts of the Russian People by Her Zeal.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 24.—The devotion of the young empress to the work of the Red Cross society has aroused the enthusiastic admiration of the Russian people.

She has thrown herself heart and soul into this work, even personally assisting in the preparation of bandages and other supplies for the sick and wounded.

As an evidence of the interest and activity of the empress, she started work at 8 o'clock this morning and did not stop until 3 o'clock this afternoon, not even taking time for lunch.

Her little daughters strive to emulate the example of their mother and assist in collecting and packing the materials.

RUSSIANS DENY LOSS OF CRUISER.

Berlin Report That the Bayan Was Destroyed on March 16 Declared Untrue.

JAPS REMAIN IN COREA.

Gen. Pflug Telegraphs That Recent Stories of Land Battles Are Inventions.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 24.—It is officially denied that the Russian armored cruiser Bayan was blown up by a floating torpedo in the harbor of Port Arthur March 16, at the time a Russian torpedo boat was said to have been sunk owing to colliding with a mine. The story originated at Berlin.

Maj. Gen. Pflug telegraphs from Mukden under today's date as follows:

"There is absolutely no truth in the report published in England to the effect that the Japanese have crossed the Tatung pass, or that they have had engagements with the Russians, while the statement that the way to Motieff pass (Motienling pass?), where a strong Russian detachment is alleged to be stationed, is open to the Japanese is also pure invention.

'To the same category belong the reports published in London newspapers from Japanese sources of an engagement alleged to have taken place at Port Arthur March 19 (March 18?), and of the encounter at Chyongsyolm, on the Yalu river, in which the Russians were reported to have lost 600 men killed or wounded."

Kouropatkin's Plans Outlined.

When Gen. Kouropatkin reaches Mukden it is understood that the emperor's forces at the theater of war will be divided into three armies—one on the peninsula, including the Port Arthur garrison, under Gen. Stoessel, military commander at Port Arthur; a central army under Gen. Linevitch, and a northern army under Gen. Baron Stackelberg. Any idea that Gen. Kouropatkin's arrival will be signalized by aggressive tactics is discouraged in the highest military circles, where attention is called to the general's repeated injunctions — patience, patience, patience.

"We can afford to wait, whether or not the Japanese can," is the sentiment among the believers in Gen. Kouropatkin. He expects to force the Japanese to fight him on grounds of his own choosing.

There will be no forward movement into Corea. On the contrary, the Russians at the Yalu are now screening their concentration to the westward, and they probably will retire against Japanese advance in force, harassing and retarding them as much as possible, until the proper time to uncover the main Russian army.

Insists Bayan Was Destroyed.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

BERLIN, March 24.—According to the St. Petersburg correspondent of the Schlesische Zeitung it was not the torpedo boat destroyer Skori, but the cruiser Bayan, which was struck by a Japanese mine at Port Arthur on March 16 and sunk. Few of the crew escaped.

The correspondent claims to have received his information from an absolutely trustworthy source. He also reports, contrary to recent assertions, that the Russian warships Retvizan, Czarewitch, and Pallada have been disarmed and abandoned. The Retvizan in addition to the damage sustained from the Japanese fire, suffered greatly from being used as a fort after it had been stranded. All the plates were loosened by the concussion of the guns.

RUSSIA AFTER GERMAN LINERS.

Reported at Paris That Czar's Agents Have Bought the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse.

PARIS, March 25, 3 a. m.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Echo de Paris says it is affirmed that the Russian admiralty has bought the North German Lloyd steamer Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse.

Denials Not Credited at Berlin.

BERLIN, March 25, 3 a. m.—In spite of the denial by the Hamburg boersenhalle of all reports of the sale of German liners to Russia, the Hamburg correspondent of the Tageblatt insists that the Fuerst Bismarck and the Kaiser Freidrich have actually been sold to that government, and that the crews already have been engaged.

RUSSIAN HELD FOR TREASON.

Captain of Artillery Arrested on Charge of Selling Military Secrets to Japan.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 24.—Capt. Leontieff of the St. Petersburg artillery has been arrested on the charge of selling military secrets to Japan.

Capt. Irkorff of the Manchurian commissariat service, who has been arrested on the charge of having sold information to the military attaché of the Japanese legation here, has petitioned for clemency. He received only $250 for the information sold, which consisted of details of the Russian commissariat service during the Boxer war.

ONE GRAND DUKE UNDER FIRE.

Cousin of the Czar on the Cruiser Askold During Fight with Togo's Fleet.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 24.—Grand Duke Cyril, cousin of the czar, who was on board the Askold when that cruiser steamed out of Port Arthur at the head of the fleet during the last bombardment, has been appointed an aide to Admiral Makaroff.

THIS U. S. CONSUL NOT AFRAID.

American Official Will Start for Post at Antung, Now Held by Russian Troops.

LONDON, March 25, 3 a. m.—The correspondent of the Times at Shanghai says that United States Consul Davidson will start for his post at Antung next week, and that he has arranged with the Japanese naval authorities to assist his vessel to reach its destination.

JAPANESE TO STUDY AMERICA.

Party of Wealthy Citizens from Tokio Arrive at Seattle on a Tour of Observation.

Seattle, Wash., March 24.—A party of wealthy Japanese has arrived to visit the principal centers of the United States to inspect rolling mills and factories, look into the condition of the poor, and ascertain if possible whether religion enters to any appreciable extent into the actual daily life of the people. One of the party a graduate of Tokio university, said that after most careful examination the Japanese had unanimously and unhesitatingly rejected the religion of the Europeans as something which they did not want and did not need.

NOTED ENGLISH WRITER, WHO DIED YESTERDAY.



SIR EDWIN ARNOLD

The following extracts from one of his poems show the author's beautiful conception of the soul's immortality:

He who died at Azan sends
This to comfort faithful friends:
Faithful Friends: It lies, I know,
Pale and white and cold as snow;
And ye say, "Abdullah's dead!"
Weeping at my feet and head;
I can see your falling tears,
I can hear your cries and prayers;
Yet I smile and whisper this:
"I am not that thing you kiss;
Cease your tears and let it lie;
It was mine, it is not I."

Sweet friends, what the women lave
For its last bed in the grave
Is a tent which I am quitting,
Is a garment no more fitting,
Is a cage from which at last,
Like a hawk, my soul hath passed.
Love the inmate, not the room;
The wearer, not the garb; the plume
Of the falcon, not the bars
Which kept him from the splendid stars.
Loving Friends: Be wise and dry
Straightway every weeping eye;
What ye lift upon the bier
Is not worth a wistful tear.
'Tis an empty seashell, one
Out of which the pearl is gone;
The shell is broken, it lies there;
The pearl, and all, the Soul, is here.
'Tis an earthen jar whose lid
Allah sealed, while it hid
That treasure of his treasury,
A mind which loved Him; let it lie!
Let the shard be earth's once more,
Since the gold shines in His store.

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Now the long, long darkness ends,
Yet ye wail, my foolish friends,
While the man whom you call "dead"
In unbroken bliss instead
Lives and loves you; lost, 'tis true,
By any light which shines from you;
But in light you cannot see
Of unfulfilled felicity;
And enlarging paradise,
Lives this life that never dies.

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Weep awhile, if ye are fain,
Sunshine still must follow rain!
Only not at death, for death—
Now I see—is that first breath
Which our souls draw when we enter
Life, that is of all life center.

He who died at Azan gave
This to those that made his grave.

ATTACK ON NOTED PREACHER.

Liberal Member of British Parliament Pays Respects to Rev. Reginald John Campbell.

LONDON, March 24.—Consternation has been caused in British nonconformist circles by a speech of Robert W. Perks, liberal member of parliament for the Louth division of Lincolnshire, delivered yesterday at the opening of a Methodist bazaar at Louth, in which he vigorously criticised the Rev. Reginald John Campbell, minister of the city temple here. Both men are pillars of nonconformity, one of them being practically the head of the ministry and the other one of the most prominent laymen. The two main points in Mr. Perks' attack were the Rev. Mr. Campbell's recent presentation at court by the bishop of London and the projected surplicing of Mr. Campbell's choir of the city temple.

KAISER THINKS WE ARE "EASY."

Arrives at Naples and Declares Americans Would Pay Big Sums for His Cabin.

LONDON, March 25.—The Daily Mail's Naples correspondent says that on leaving the steamer Keonig Albert at Naples yesterday Emperor William asked whether his state cabins would be left as he had occupied them.

On the captain answering his question in the negative Emperor William said:

"O, that is a great mistake. I am sure lots of Americans would pay any sum to live in the cabins occupied by me."

Messages were exchanged by the emperor and King Victor on his arrival, and ten members of the steamer's crew were decorated for their services.

IRISH LAND ACT WORKING WELL.

Secretary Wyndham Says Applications for Advances of $10,000,000 Have Been Received.

LONDON, March 24.—Mr. Wyndham, chief secretary for Ireland, replying in the house of commons today to a request of William Redmond (Irish nationalist), for information concerning the working of the Irish land act, said he believed that if all the parties concerned worked in the same spirit as last year, great success would attend the operation of the act. Applications for advances amounting to $10,000,000 had been received from 4,152 tenants on 206 estates, sixty-one evicted tenants had been restored, and others were able to be restored.

NOTES FROM FOREIGN LANDS.

BERLIN—The official organ of the colonial office concerning the Herero uprising in German southwest Africa prints the following from Herr Duft, a local magistrate of Windhoek: "So far as the causes are concerned I believe I am not mistaken in attributing them chiefly to the reckless methods of wandering traders in collecting debts in Hereroland."

PARIS—The correctional tribunal sentenced Masse and Moranne to three years' imprisonment each for perjury in the Fair will case. Masse and Moranne are the bicyclists who were touring at the time of the automobile accident near Evreux, France, in August, 1902, which resulted in the deaths of Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Fair.

DUBLIN—A meeting called for the purpose of promoting an international exhibition in Dublin during the year 1906, under King Edward's patronage, broke up in disorder, the members of the Gaelic league voting with the majority against the project.

ROME—After a stormy discussion the chamber of deputies approved the appointment of a committee to inquire into the accusations against Sig. Nasi, former minister of public instruction, who is charged with misappropriation.

LONDON—It is officially confirmed that the directors of the Cunard line had decided to adopt turbine engines for the new steamers to be built under agreement with the British government.

PARIS—The Echo de Paris says M. Bompard, the French ambassador at St. Petersburg, has not given satisfaction and his recall is imminent.

JOHANNESBURG—The bubonic plague is spreading. The deaths up to date are fifty-five—five whites and fifty natives.

SIR EDWIN ARNOLD DEAD.

POET WHO WROTE "LIGHT OF ASIA" PASSES AWAY.

England Mourns the Loss of One of Her Most Noted Critics, Scholars, and Orientalists—His Genius Recognized by Orders of Knighthood Bestowed by Queen Victoria and the Rulers of Persia, Siam, and Japan—Sketch of His Career.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

LONDON, March 24.—Sir Edwin Arnold, the poet, critic, journalist, and orientalist, died at his home in London today at the age of 72. He had been a sufferer from partial paralysis and for the last three years of his life was blind. He continued his literary and journalistic labors up to within a short time before his death. He was a warm partisan of Japan in the latter's war with Russia, and his last writing was on far eastern affairs.

Sir Edwin was not taken seriously ill until last week. Early this morning he had a relapse, from which he did not rally, and died peacefully at 10:30. The funeral will take place March 28. The body will be cremated at Woking.

His Literary Fame.

Sir Edwin Arnold's literary fame does not rest upon his "Light of Asia," although it is with that epic poem that his name is most readily associated. He had won a place in the literary world before his pen produced the "Light of Asia," in 1879, and his work after that year was notable enough to give him fame.

Mr. Arnold was one of the editors of the London Telegraph almost continuously from 1861 until within a few days before his death. It was Arnold, with the New York Herald, who sent Henry M. Stanley to Africa to complete the discoveries made by Livingston. He sent George Smith on that wonderful tour of discovery through Assyria. As an editorial writer he was famous in London's journalistic circles for his intimate knowledge of eastern politics.

But it was as a poet, not a journalist, that Sir Edwin Arnold was known to the world. His verses possessed all the vivid oriental coloring of a warm hearted imagination.

Sketch of His Career.

In taking a brief glance at the career of Sir Edwin Arnold, he must be considered first as a scholar, then as a critic, poet, a journalist, and an orientalist. He was born on June 10, 1832, and educated first at the King's school at Rochester and King's college at London, where he was elected to a scholarship at University college, Oxford.

In 1852, while at Oxford, he won the Newdigate prize for his English poem on the "Feast of Belshazzar." He graduated in 1854. He was appointed principal of the British Sanskrit college at Poona, India, and fellow of the University of Bombay, holding these offices through the mutiny, and resigned in 1861.

His Earlier Verses.

In his five years' residence in India Arnold made a thorough study of Hindustan literature and history. During those years, too, he found time to write "Griselda, a Drama," and "Poems, Narrative and Lyrical," besides a number of other works.

Returning to England in 1861, Mr. Arnold became a member of the editorial staff of the London Daily Telegraph, a position he held until his death. For his interest in exploration in Africa and excavation in Assyria he was made a Fellow of the Royal Asiatic and the Royal Geographical Society of London.

In 1875 Sir Edwin Arnold began the publication of that series of poems, lyric and epic, that won him enduring place in English literature. In that year he gave to the world "The Indian Song of Songs." In 1877 he was knighted by Queen Victoria as a "Companion of the Star of India."

Publishes "Light of Asia."

In 1879 Mr. Arnold published "The Light of Asia," an epic poem upon the life and teachings of Buddha. It became famous almost in a day. Since then it has passed through sixty editions in England and eighty in the United States. Probably no poem of the century was read by so many people. For this work, which made Arnold as famous in the orient as in the occident, the king of Siam decorated him with the "Order of the White Elephant," the forerunner of a long list of oriental decorations to follow.

In 1881 Sir Edwin Arnold published a volume of oriental verse under the title "Indian Poetry," and in the year following he printed translations from the Sanskrit epic of the Mahábhárata.

In 1883 he won additional praise from the critics by his "Pearls of the Faith; or, Islam's Rosary; being the ninety-ninth beautiful names of Allah, with comments in verse." For this work Sir Edwin, who had already received the Imperial Order of the Medjidieh from the sultan of Turkey, was given the Imperial Order of Osmanie.

In 1888 Sir Edwin Arnold was created a knight commander of the Indian empire by Queen Victoria, and in the same year he published "With Sa'di in the Garden; or, The Book of Love," a poem founded on the third chapter of the Bóstán of the Persian poet Sa'di. For this he was decorated by the shah of Persia with the Order of the Lion and the Sun.

His Later Works.

In recent years Sir Edwin published "The Light of the World," "The Tenth Nurse," "Potiphar's Wife and Other Poems"; two books of travels, "India Revisited" and "Seas and Lands," as well as "Japonica," a work on Japanese manners and customs, and "Adzuma," a Japanese tragedy.

In the closing years of his life Sir Edwin Arnold's interest seemed to be transferred from Persia and India to Japan. He was a friend of the mikado, and the latter in recognition of his genius bestowed upon him the Order of the Rising Sun. It was during his stay in Japan that Sir Edwin married Tama Kurakawa, a Japanese woman, who afterwards became a social favorite in London.

RUN ON INVESTMENT CONCERN.

Reserve Company of Omaha Said to Be Branch of Fidelity Trust of Chicago.

Omaha, Neb., March 24.—[Special.]—There has been a run today on the office of the Reserve Investment company, which is said to be a branch of the Fidelity Trust company of Chicago, where officers were arrested yesterday. Manager Beaman was not to be found, inquirers being informed that he was in Iowa. Requests to withdraw deposits were refused, and many of the depositors placed their claims in the hands of attorneys. It is expected that several suits will be filed. The company has done a large business in Omaha on the tontine plan.

ENGLISH QUEEN DINES WITH POOR

Visits Alexandra Trust and Takes a 9 Cent Meal with Working People.

CROWDS OUT TO SEE HER.

Fare Provided Her Majesty Same as Given Others, and Found to Be Good.

LONDON, March 24.—The routine of royal life was broken today when Queen Alexandra paid an informal visit to the Alexandra trust and there enjoyed a 9 cent dinner among the factory employés and children of the east end of London.

The queen has taken keen interest in the institution, which was founded on her plan to give the poor the cheapest possible food without savoring of charity. She arranged her visit privately with Sir Thomas Lipton, the principal contributor to the institution. They drove up in closed carriages, accompanied by Princess Victoria, Earl de Grey, treasurer of the household of her majesty, and Countess de Grey, Miss Knollys, and Sidney Greville, private secretary of the queen.

Crowds Await Her Arrival.

A rumor of the queen's coming had preceded her and the dining rooms were packed. Among those present were John D. Crimmins of New York and Miss Crimmins, who had been let into the secret.

Like a factory girl who had just preceded her, the queen went to the desk and asked for eight dinner tickets, tendering half a crown. She was told that they would be sixpence more, which Earl de Grey promptly contributed.

Sir Thomas Lipton conducted the royal guest, who was dressed in black, through the dining rooms. The news of the identity of the visitor spread and the children crowded around her, curiously touching her dress and looking up into her face. Those who could not get near stood on tables to catch a glimpse of the queen. Soon the whole building rang with the shrill cheers of the delighted children.

Replaces Lost Tickets.

The queen saw two small children crying.

"What is the matter?" she asked.

They had lost their dinner tickets. Their grief was turned to joy by the gift of a shilling from the royal purse.

So thickly did the children, most of them typically ragged urchins of the east end, crowd around the royal visitor that one of the attendants tried to make a passageway for her.

"Don't bother," said the queen. "I did not come here to disturb them."

Enjoys Her 9 Cent Meal.

After talking with several factory employés in the midst of their meal, which is daily served to 3,000 or 4,000 persons, the queen and her party, accompanied by Sir Thomas, went upstairs to the room, where they all redeemed their meal tickets.

For her 9 cents the queen had soup, lamb, potatoes, a large helping of plum pudding, a glass of water, and a mug of coffee. She seemed to enjoy it.

TROOP TRAIN FROM DENVER WITH MILITIA FOR TELLURIDE.

Gov. Peabody Says He Has Proclaimed Martial Law Because Strikers Were Arming to Do Damage.

Denver, Colo., March 24.—A special train bearing troops left Denver for Telluride this afternoon. The force of 300 men will be under command of Adjt. Gen. Bell.

Gov. Peabody said today that he declared San Miguel county in a state of insurrection and rebellion because of the representations made to him by public officials and citizens of the town, who declared that a body of men were arming outside the county to join with men within the county for the purpose of destroying property and inflicting personal injuries on persons in Telluride.

A dispatch received today from Telluride contained the news that twenty Finlanders left that place today. It is inferred from this fact that the deportation of strikers and their families has been resumed by the military.

It was reported today that the Western Federation of Miners had made a second appeal to President Roosevelt to send federal troops to Colorado. The union men take the ground that Gov. Peabody only put martial law in force at Telluride to prevent the injunction against the Citizens' alliance from becoming operative.

It is further stated that the governor has prevented the deported men from enjoying their full rights as loyal American citizens, and the call on the president for aid contends that Gov. Peabody is violating the provisions of the federal constitution.

Martial law also is in operation in Las Animas county.

FORMER SENATOR ON TRIAL.

Salt Lake Woman on Witness Stand Against Arthur Brown of Utah.

Salt Lake City, Utah, March 24.—[Special.]—In the felony trial of former United States Senator Arthur Brown, charged with criminal relations with Mrs. Annie Bradley, the prosecution endeavored to establish its case by the testimony of the woman. Mrs. Bradley some time ago pleaded guilty to a similar charge. She was today called to the stand and subjected to a terrific fire of questions, most of which she declined to answer and created quite a scene.

In refusing to answer as to her relations with Brown, she said: "This man is the father of my children and I will not do it."

One witness testified that Senator Brown told his wife he would divorce her and marry Mrs. Bradley.

Several private detectives also gave testimony of a sensational character.



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'PHONE ULTIMATUM SENT.

Several Successful Raids Made in Spite of Adverse Ruling in Court.

Blow cold and hot yesterday on the city's anti-poolroom crusade. A chill produced in the morning by adverse court proceedings in the cases of 120 persons arrested in raids was dissipated in the afternoon, when the city demanded of the Chicago Telephone company the removal of over 100 telephones in gambling houses, and Assistant Chief Schuettler's men made five raids, which netted thirty-eight arrests.

"If it should be that you do not desire also to assist the public officers in stopping gambling I will be compelled to meet the situation without the coöperation of your corporation, and to use every available legal power to put an end to this great public evil," was the closing paragraph of the communication to President Arthur D. Wheeler of the telephone company, which accompanied a list of alleged gambling telephones, with the request that they be removed. The communication was signed by Mayor Harrison.

Give Proof of Gambling Phones.

The list of telephones reported to the company included three "clearing houses," or private telephone exchanges, the others being instruments in use in saloons, cigar stores, offices, and flat buildings where poolrooms or handbooks are maintained. It was prepared by Assistant Chief Schuettler from reports of his gambling detail, and put in proper form by the corporation counsel. In the statement regarding the telephones the following information is given the company:

The name of the person maintaining the handbook.

Specific location of the room in which the handbook is operated, and the telephone stations.

The public number of the telephone and the number on the transmitter.

The location of certain switchboards used for transmitting gambling information to handbook and pool rooms.

Information whether the person operating the handbook has ever been arrested and fined for such an offense.

Statement of the evidence of gambling found by the police in each place where a telephone is located, and the use made of that instrument in aiding in the operation of the book.

Company Is Urged to Act.

After referring to the promise made to the city law department by General Manager A. E. Hibbard of the telephone company to remove telephones which the police found were being used for gaming, the communication says:

"The information contained in this statement is given to you in confidence, so that you may have an opportunity of removing the different telephones and switchboards and discontinuing service of this character to the individuals now receiving the same for the foregoing purposes. I sincerely trust that you will assist the public officials by discontinuing the service of your company to these persons and for these purposes, and that you will accept information from the police department that will be given to you from time to time of other cases of this character, and also discontinue the telephone service to such persons when the information that they are maintaining gaming houses and hand books for the taking of bets on horse races and are using your telephones therefor, is thus given you." The communication and the police evidence were sent to the offices of the telephone company at 4 p. m.

Eight Women Caught in Raid.

Eight women race players were arrested in a raid at 182 Thirty-first street, made by Detectives Schubert, Blaul, and Dennehy in the afternoon.

"I'm going to play $2 on Ahumada in the fourth race at Oakland," called a woman's voice.

"Don't be a 'piker,' Nelly. Make it $5 or keep off," said another woman tauntingly.

"Nelly" took the dare and the detectives watched her hand a $5 note to Harry Trembel, the keeper, and take a memorandum in return. Then he gave a signal, and his companions rushed in and placed all under arrest.

Other Raids of the Day.

The trail of the "bookies" led a detail of detectives, headed by Detective Wolff, to Capt. Anson's billiard hall at 142 Madison street. In a small room off the billiard room the detectives found William Jackson taking the bets of eleven other men on the day's races.

Another trail led the same detail to room 405, 206 La Salle street, where Thomas Johnson and nine others were arrested, Johnson being charged with being the keeper of the book. The room was the anteroom of a lodge hall.

At 157 Washington street in the rear of a cigar store the detectives arrested Ed Whitman and five inmates.

In a saloon at 79 Halsted street D. E. McDonald was arrested, and evidence of a handbook confiscated.

Court Lets Prisoners Go.

William Walsh and J. J. Hosmer, who were arrested in the first day's raids by the "pony ballet," were dismissed when their cases were called before Justice Prindiville at Harrison street in the morning. The charge of operating a handbook had been made against them, and as such a charge cannot be sustained without actual proof of a race having been run, the detectives were unable to make a case.

Hasty action on the part of Assistant Corporation Counsel William Rothman resulted in the practical dismissal of the cases against 118 persons charged with being inmates of poolrooms. Under advice of Attorney Edward Morris, these defendants, who comprise all of the inmates arrested during the crusade, were not present in court.

"What shall we do?" asked Justice Prindiville of Mr. Rothman.

"Forfeit their bonds," returned the attorney, and the court did so.

Attorney Rothman evidently believed that he was mulcting the police court bondsmen out of $47,200, the amount of the bonds forfeited, which were for $400 each. It was explained later by the court, however, that as the surety to a bond, given under a violation of the city ordinance, was liable only for the fine imposed, the cases had actually been dismissed with no loss to the bondsmen.

BURGLAR RETURNS BIG BOOTY.

Restores to Mrs. E. Cohen $3,000 Worth of Goods Stolen from 173 Twenty-second Street.

A burglar yesterday returned to Mrs. E. Cohen $3,000 worth of silks and laces stolen from her when her store was broken open a month ago. She found the goods in a trunk in the doorway upon opening the store.

Three young men held up Sim Cung in his laundry at [illegible] Armitage avenue, secured [illegible], and beat him into insensibility.

The victim will go to the West Chicago avenue station today to attempt identification of prisoners held there. Mark Sing already has identified them as the men who robbed him last Thursday.

J. P. Hopkins Goes to a Conference.

After going over the situation in Illinois with Secretary W. M. Mounts of the democratic state committee and other leaders, Chairman John P. Hopkins left last evening for the east. It was declared that reorganization democrats will confer in New York and, if possible, unite on a candidate for the presidential nomination.

LOWDEN THEIR "DAVID."

OTHER CANDIDATES CHOOSE HIM TO SLAY SLUSH FUND 'GOLIATH'

Colonel Is Supposed to Possess a Great Store of the Smooth, Round Pebbles Calculated to Lay Out the Enemy—Combat Will Be Fought in Adams County, Where Administration Is Strong—Movable Voters Along the Water Look Forward to a Harvest.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Quincy, Ill., March 24.—[Special.]—Col. Lowden is to be the "David" to Gov. Yates' "Goliath" in Adams county. He takes naturally to the shepherd boy rôle, having, in addition to his agricultural qualifications, the largest number of the particular kind of smooth round pebbles required for this kind of a political fight.

With the exception of Congressman Warner, the other candidates will represent the tribes of Israel. They will stay up in the hills until it be seen whether or not David can bring Goliath down.

Much Ammunition Needed.

David's friends are not expecting that one smooth, round pebble will knock the enemy over. It probably will be necessary to load a couple of gatling guns with them and fire about 100 a minute.

While Goliath's clothes would hang loosely on the governor in most of the remaining counties, they fit him fairly well in Adams, where his strength is admitted. For that reason it is necessary to have a David, and the Amalgamated Association of Political Israelites have picked Col. Lowden for the job.

Will Be "Barrel" vs. "Slush."

Already the prediction is being made that the Adams county fight will discount all previous contests between the "barrel" and the "slush fund." It is expected to rain money, and the careful housekeepers of Quincy are getting their rainwater tanks cleaned out and are opening all the down spouts leading to them.

The first contest is predicted for March 31, when the county central committee meets to set the date of the primaries. If Yates people should be in control of the committee they may take snap action on the four tribes and call the caucuses in short order and limit the fight to a week or ten days. They also may endeavor to substitute a sort of primary arrangement for the old fashioned caucus to which the county has become accustomed.

Why Caucus Is Preferred.

The objections to a primary were given thus by a Lowden man:

"If they give us a primary which is only an agreement to conform to certain rules and not a straight primary such as Cook has, it will be possible for one faction to control a voting place. They can appoint the judges and pass on the qualifications of all the voters.

"If we have the caucus there will be 200 or 300 workers of each faction there, and they will prevent unqualified men from voting."

Quincy has a floating vote which is important. It is furnished by the river men—"bumboat," lumber, and other river characters, who spend the months of closed navigation in the larger river towns, and many of them are in Quincy.

Lowden's lieutenants, while complaining of what the slush fund probably will do among these characters, do not refuse to admit that they are susceptible to the colonel's methods of treatment. Vote buying is sure to be a well defined feature of the Adams campaign.

Governor Has Soldiers' Home.

The allies have practically decided that they can do nothing with the soldiers' home. Riverside township, in which the home is located, has 49 delegates of the 321 in the county convention—the largest outside of Quincy. All but seven of these come directly from the home. With the veterans lined up for the governor he has a big advantage to start with.

Lowden men protest that the administration control of the soldiers is not fair.

"They have disfranchised the veterans," said one. "A man who votes as he pleases will be out of the institution in a short while. It is easy to trump up charges against him. The result is that they are controlled absolutely by Capt. Somerville, the superintendent, and the caucus at the home is a farce.

"The only time an anti-administration fight was tried there the old soldier who led it was out of the institution in three months."

LORIMER STIRS UP HIS FORCES.

Boss Is Said Not to Be Satisfied with Way Campaign Is Moving in Cook County.

For two days Congressman Lorimer has done nothing except stir up the small politicians and ward workers who take their political orders from him. From morning until night his office and adjoining hallways in the Rookery have been crowded with precinct captains from the so-called Lorimer wards, each waiting his turn to see the "boss."

There was much whispering talk to the effect that Mr. Lorimer is not pleased with the outlook in Cook county. He was quoted as saying that Charles S. Deneen had much the best of it here, and would get a safe majority of the local delegation.

So far as any one knows, there has been no move of any kind favorable to Lowden's candidacy in the Fourth, Fifth, Ninth, Tenth, Eleventh, Twelfth, Eighteenth, Nineteenth, Thirty-fourth, and Thirty-fifth wards, where Lorimer is supposed to have control.

Mr. Lowden's friends in other parts of the city and some of his campaign managers were becoming impressed with the belief that Mr. Deneen would walk away with their delegates.

Another development of the day was a report that Congressman Foss had set the forty-five postmasters of Lake county to work in Lowden's interest. Mr. Foss declared, however, that the report was not true.

FIX FORM OF "LITTLE BALLOT."

Mueller Law Proposition Leads the Crerar Library and Museum Tax Issues.

The "little ballot," which will be offered to voters at the aldermanic election on April 5, will carry three propositions—the Mueller act, the John Crerar library, and the half mill tax for support of museums. It was decided yesterday by the board of review that the street car law shall lead and in this form:

Shall the act of the general assembly of the state of Illinois, entitled an act to authorize cities to acquire, construct, own, operate, and lease street railways and to provide the means therefor, approved on May 18, 1903, in force on July 1, 1903, commonly known as the Mueller law, be adopted and in force in the city of Chicago?

The other two propositions will be voted on only in the south side wards, the first being whether the south park commissioners shall allow the John Crerar library to be erected, at an estimated cost of $1,000,000, in Grant park, between Madison and Monroe streets, and the second is shall the commissioners levy a half mill tax to support any museum now or hereafter to be erected.

BLARE IN 21ST WARD NEAR.

Republicans Aiding McCormick Will Have Red Fire, Brass Bands, and Speaking Tomorrow.

There will be "a hot time" in the Twenty-first ward tomorrow night. The republicans are making extensive preparations to start the campaign of their candidate for alderman.

Speaking by some of the best campaign orators, red fire on the street corners, and music by a dozen brass bands are features of the program. The speaking and reception will be conducted under the auspices of the Marquette club at its clubhouse.

SHANHAIKWAN, WHERE RUSSIANS THINK JAPS WILL LAND.



Shanhaikwan, where, according to Russian advices, the Japanese contemplate violating neutral territory, lies about 200 miles west of Newchwang and the Liao river and about 200 miles northeast of Pekin. The great wall terminates at Shanhaikwan. The allies landed there in their operations against the Boxers in 1900 and erected an international fort on top of the great wall.

R. R. McCormick, the nominee, is to make his first effort as a campaign speaker. John M. Harlan, Congressman Boutell, and Graeme Stewart will also address the voters.

There will be lively campaigning in other wards as well. The sixth ward battle is narrowing down to three candidates. Edward P. Barry, the independent republican, announced his withdrawal from the contest last evening. The prohibitionists and socialists probably will stay in the fight, but the contest is between E. C. Potter, independent, Jacob Ringer, republican, and W. Knox Haynes, democrat.

Hard fights have developed in the Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth wards, where the democrats assert they have an excellent chance of electing their candidates. Ald. Butler of the Twenty-seventh has the hardest contest. His democratic opponent, A. W. Schwane, is making a house to house canvass and appealing to every man he meets. The possibility of defeating Ald. Raymer in the Twenty-eighth is not thought of by his friends.

ARGUES FOR THE PETITION.

Clayton E. Bonney Defends Referendum List Before the Board of Election Commissioners.

Clayton E. Bonney, attorney for the Referendum league petitioners, yesterday filed a brief with the board of election commissioners. It says in part:

If the election board holds that 130,000 voters must affirmatively establish their right of petition upon the objections of any five objectors, the public policy act and the constitutional right of the people to petition their government may as well be abandoned.

Mr. Bonney disposes of the objectors' assertion that the coming election is not a general one by quoting from the cities and villages act, requiring a general election in cities organized as is Chicago each April.

To the objection that 77,449 out of 131,908 signatures were not those of registered voters Mr. Bonney replied:

The evidence offered by objectors does not even reach the standard of secondary evidence and would not be admissible in any court. It is indirect, uncertain, confessedly incorrect in many particulars, and is as a whole totally unreliable.

President Malley said the board expects to reach a decision tomorrow or Monday.

RAILROAD MEN IN POLITICS.

Employes of Northwestern Seek Council Seats in Evanston, Making Condition Called Significant.

Three Northwestern railroad employés are running for office as aldermen in Evanston, and their political opponents declare the railroad is attempting to obtain representation in the council of the suburb. James W. Branch, William G. Norcutt, and E. J. Williams, candidates in the Second, Fourth, and Sixth wards, are the men whom it is said the railroad is supporting. If they are elected their rivals declare the company will have an important voice in the decision of municipal affairs. This fact is especially noteworthy just now, as the question of railroad elevation is soon to come before the council.

SUES FOR DEATH OF A BABY.

Attorney, Defendant in $117 Hospital Action for Debt, Files Cross Bill for $25,000.

A cross bill asking $25,000 damages for the death of a baby was filed yesterday in Judge Chetlain's court to offset a hospital bill for $117. Dr. John W. Streator had brought suit for the latter amount, Attorney Frederick W. Bentley, 81 Forty-eighth street, being the defendant. Mrs. Bentley was taken to Dr. Streator's maternity hospital, 2646 Calumet avenue, June 12, 1900, shortly after her arrival from Wichita, Kas., where Mr. Bentley was attorney for the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fé railway. A girl was born to her there, and a few days afterward the husband called to see her and found the child dead in its cradle. Mr. Bentley alleged his wife and child were left in the care of a student of a few weeks' experience, who had deserted her charge. He removed Mrs. Bentley and asserts he paid $58 for a week's care. The jury in the suit for collection returned a sealed verdict last night.

DAUGHTER IS HIS ACCUSER.

Cuthbert W. Laing, Accused of Misappropriating Most of $2,000,000 Estate, Is Examined.

Cuthbert W. Laing, accused by his daughter, Mrs. Irene Malcolm, of misappropriating a large share of a $2,000,000 estate left her by her mother, appeared in Judge Cutting's court yesterday morning to answer the charge. He was subjected to a searching cross examination. When Irene Laing was an infant her mother died. The girl was sent to her grandparents in Michigan and knew nothing of her legacy until she was 24 years old. After her marriage she became convinced that her father was deceiving her, but signed papers releasing him when she learned the result might send him to the penitentiary. She later repudiated this release.

PUNISH "ALL OR NONE."

CITY CLUB REFUSES TO PROSECUTE ACCUSED POLICE.

Declares to Mayor Purpose of Piper Report Was Misunderstood — "Soft Snap" Men Lose in the Promotions—Two Lieutenants Are Transferred—President Seeberger of Citizens' Association Admits Hoyt King Wrote Part of the "Graft" Findings.

No policemen will be punished as the result of the "Piper report." The City club has reported to the mayor it will be impossible to bring Capt. Piper here for the purpose of testifying against the accused men and, furthermore, does not believe such prosecutions should be had, as only a small part of the force is included in the investigation, and if one is punished all guilty ones should be.

The letter, which was in answer to the one from the mayor asking for the testimony against the policemen Capt. Piper had accused, in part said:

The directors are of the opinion that the prosecution of the charges suggested might tend to divert attention from the real purpose of the City club, which was the investigation and improvement of the discipline and administration of the police department as a branch of our municipal government and not the discovery and punishment of specific derelictions of duty by individual policemen.

The purpose of mentioning these derelictions in the report was to show the character and scope of the investigation, and the actual conditions found to exist. If such offenses persist, under efficient administration and proper discipline, they can easily be detected and punished.

Leaves Out "Soft Snap" Men.

Chief O'Neill explained yesterday three men at least had failed of promotion because of their activity and that of their friends in trying to get soft berths for them.

"They had such a horror of wearing uniforms I thought it would be a shame to make patrol sergeants out of them; they would have to wear blue clothes and brass buttons," said the chief.

The chief's action in overlooking the "soft snap men" is in line with that of the captains who had charge of the last examination for sergeants. In marking the papers they gave the men who actually do patrol duty 100 for experience and marked the messengers, special officers, and other holders of "easy" positions only 70. The result was that only one or two of the latter passed.

Two Lieutenants Transferred.

The assignment of the newly created lieutenants had the effect of transferring Lieut. John Gallagher from Harrison street to the central detail and Lieuts. Maurice Bowler from Twenty-second street to the Thirty-fifth street station. The promoted lieutenants were assigned as follows:

Lieut. James V. Larkin, Second precinct.
Lieut. Michael Madden, Third precinct.
Lieut. Joseph Smith, Fifteenth precinct.
Lieut. George T. Prim, Nineteenth precinct.
Lieut. Thomas J. Howard, Twenty-first precinct.
Lieut. William H. Darrow, Thirty-fifth precinct.
Lieut. Thomas C. Kane, Forty-first precinct.
Lieut. John C. Dammann, Forty-first precinct.

Bernard Gable, a Rawson street station man, yesterday was formally charged with smoking a cigar while in uniform and on duty.

Light on "Graft" Report.

More light on the burning question, "Who wrote the 'graft committee' report?" was thrown yesterday, when President Seeberger of the Citizens' association replied to the letter of the civil service commission accusing Hoyt King of the authorship of the paragraph attacking it.

Mr. Seeberger, who spoke of Mr. King as "the former attorney of the association," and explained he had not been connected with it since Feb. 8, said he had asked him about the charge of the civil service commissioners. In reply Mr. King had acknowledged he was responsible for several sections of the report, but denied he had had anything to do with the one reflecting on the commissioners.

Ald. Herrmann had, the night before, denied that Mr. King wrote any of the report, and the letter from Mr. Seeberger moved Commissioner Errant to remark:

"It is shown Mr. King wrote some of the report at least, which would tend to give us the benefit of the doubt in the question of veracity which seems to have arisen between Ald. Herrmann and ourselves."

Admits Report Was Revised.

The alderman acknowledged that some of the original report had been striken out on revision. "There were references to persons who had been in the penitentiary and similar matters which had to be verified before they could be used," said he, "or else we would subject ourselves to liability under the libel law.

"I would like," he continued, "to have this discussion as to the manner of the compilation of the report stopped. Keeping it up is fast destroying the value of the report."

Illinois Postoffice Is Robbed.

Bloomington, Ill., March 24.—Safe blowers dynamited the safe in the postoffice at Piper City, thirty miles northeast of here, last night and secured $700 in money and stamps. The explosion was heard by citizens, but no one investigated.

MARRIAGE ENDS LEVEE LIFE FOREVER FOR "IKE" BLOOM.

Meets Young Woman, Proposes, Weds, Goes Away, and Wins Parents' Forgiveness, All Within Ten Days.

The marriage of "Ike" Bloom, former manager of Freiberg's dancing hall, has put an end to his career in the levee. The story of the courtship and wedding contains much romance, and "Ike's" friends assert that he has suffered a change of heart and is sincere in renouncing his old business and its associations.

The bride of Mr. Gitelson, for Gitelson is Bloom's right name, is not the daughter of Rabbi Moses of New York, as was stated. She was Sophie Moses, and her father is Morris R. Moses, 4600 Vincennes avenue, a retired Chicago optician. Two months ago she visited friends in New Orleans. At the same time Bloom was in Hot Springs training "Abe" Attell, his protégé, for his coming fights.

Ten days ago, at Memphis, on the way home, they were on the same train, and Bloom saw the young woman and lost his heart. At length they met and talked together all the way to Chicago, parting at the depot. The following day they met accidentally at the apartments of mutual friends. Bloom finally asked the young woman to be his wife.

Miss Moses consented and told her parents. The result was that on Tuesday last the couple secured a wedding license and were married by a justice of the peace. That night "Dave" Lewis, a Chicago comedian, who was the "mutual friend," gave a dinner to the couple at College Inn.

After the parental storm was over and "Ike" had left for Hot Springs, the bride's father said that any one his daughter chose to marry he would take into his family and help. Mrs. Gitelson then telegraphed her husband: "Family reconciled; everything lovely; come home soon. Lovingly, Sophie."

Bloom is coming home from Hot Springs on Sunday.

MAID AND BASHFUL SWAIN BRING WOE TO JEWELERS.

Examine Costly Wedding and Engagement Rings and Then Cleverly Substitute Cheap Imitations and Escape.

A radiant young woman, accompanied by an apparently diffident swain, has caused woe among west side jewelers, and is sought by the police. She is around 20 years old, pretty, and has a smile that won't come off. At each place visited by the pair the man first entered, then blushing profusely, stepped just outside the door, where he remained. The jewelers then ascribed the cause to timidity. Now they believe the escort maintained a wary watch for the coming of policemen.

A tray containing engagement or wedding rings was asked for by the woman, who, after apparently making a selection, motioned the young man to come inside. On his failure to do so, in the store of C. N. Ford, 996 West Madison street, last night, she grew impatient.

"O, fudge!" she exclaimed. "I have no patience with these bashful men. He has the money in his pocket to pay for it. Just put the ring back in the case a moment until I bring him in."

The jeweler placed the ring in the case and waited. At the end of an hour he decided that he had failed to make a sale, and took the ring to place it again on the tray. A second glance showed that he had a cheap, plated substitute for the ring examined and skillfully stolen by the supposed customer.

The police were notified and the ring placed in a drawer with two similar ornaments returned by Rose & Carter, 757 West Madison street, and Turner Bros., 831 West Madison street. The couple have not been arrested.

CAPT. PIPER IS CRITICISED.

W. O. La Monte Defends Police at Seventeenth Child Saving Conference of Cook County.

William O. La Monte last evening severely criticised Capt. Piper, whose report stirred up the police department, in an address at the seventeenth child saving conference of Cook county, held at the Home for the Friendless.

"Capt. Piper's criticism of the Chicago police is unjust, to say the least," he said. "There probably are some instances of lack of discipline, but, generally speaking, the police of Chicago are equal in efficiency to those in other cities."

John J. Sloan, superintendent of the House of Correction, Mrs. Frederic C. Bartlett, Mrs. Theodore Wells, J. McManaman, Miss Minnie F. Low, and E. P. Bicknell were the other speakers.

Confesses He Killed His Father.

Eau Claire, Wis., March 24.—Anton Wiske, aged 18 years, today pleaded guilty to murder in the first degree and confessed that he killed his father in his cabin near Augusta and then burned the body.

PLAYWRITER OUT OF RACE

MRS. PARKER SURPRISES THE ARCHE CLUB WOMEN.

Candidate Replies to Criticism of Her Productions and Says She Is No Longer an Aspirant for the Presidency—Denies That "Homes Have Been Broken Up" and Defends Love as Theme—May Be Nominated Anyway, Her Friends Declare.

Mrs. Mary Moncure Parker, writer of amateur plays, yesterday sent a message out over the south side boulevards to disturbed members of the Arché club. It was:

Pax vobiscum. I will not be a candidate for the presidency of the club.

Mrs. Parker's friends were chagrined. They want to vote for the woman who writes amateur plays, but the author will not give them the chance. They say they want now more than ever to vote for the writer since her election was opposed by Mrs. Frank T. Bliss because she wrote what her friends call "the sweetest, dearest little plays." Her opponents criticised the productions and asserted that they had "broken up homes" and were full of "horrid love making."

Mrs. Parker Replies to Critics.

And here is what Mrs. Parker had to say about her plays:

"The little play given at the Arché on Friday, March 18, was a farce entitled 'A Day at the Know-It-All Woman's Club,' written at the request of Mrs. Hessler for members' day. There were twelve women, and there was one man in the play. It was not a Mormon play, and the man, a reporter, did nothing more formidable than to kill a mouse, which broke up the club meeting, as a finale.

"The other play of mine given at the Arché, 'Mrs. Busby's Pink Tea,' with eight women and a man (there is safety in numbers for the poor man), had positively no love making and but a mild flirtation which caused a family rumpus, although only in the play, let me assure the anxious public. Both plays were enthusiastically received by the Arché club. Of those at the Colonial club I can state positively that no 'homes have been broken up,' nor are the members anything but kind and enthusiastic regarding them. They have drawn out large audiences.

"As young girls and the mothers of young girls have expressed themselves delighted with all the plays, especially the one most criticised, "The Old Oaken Bucket," which was cut for amateur work and was given both at the Colonial and the Woodlawn Park club in December, the immoral idea must be outside of the play. 'Evil be to him, etc.,'—you know the rest.

Says Love Is Beautiful Theme.

"Love is such a beautiful theme that I believe even Mr. William Shakspeare did not scorn it, and why not a twentieth century aspirant? Alas! I have had so little love making in my plays, as they have been mostly of a farcical character, that I have really given these young men and women who want a chance to make love in public little show.

"In the future I shall have quite a wholesome respect for the wicked little plays that I have thought so inoffensive. It is heartrending to think of the families 'broken up' by burlesques on pink teas, receptions, and women's clubs.

"One more unfortunate,
Weary of breath,
Rashly importunate,
Gone to her death.
Take her up tenderly,
What shall I say?
Sad, bitter story,
'Twas an amateur play."

The Arché club election will be held today, and Mrs. Parker's friends insist that, despite her withdrawal, she will be nominated and given a complimentary vote.

WILL PHONE AND TELEGRAPH.

Company with New Plans for Double Use of Wires Is Ready for Incorporation.

Articles of incorporation will be filed at Springfield today by the United States Telegraph and Telephone company. The plan, it is said, is to absorb the National Telegraph News company of Chicago, the Sempire Clock company of St. Louis, and the Chicago and Milwaukee Telegraph company of Milwaukee. The capital will approximate $3,000,000. Among the incorporators are Col. G. Watson French of Davenport, Ia., Henry E. Weaver, H. L. Turner, H. B. Critchfield of Chicago, Max R. Ortvine, and A. B. Hulit of St. Louis.

It is the intention of the company to use the same lines of wire for transmitting telephone and telegraph messages, by the use of new inventions.

The headquarters will be in Chicago, and the system will connect with St. Louis, Kansas City, Omaha, St. Paul, Duluth, and Milwaukee.

SOCIAL OUTCAST BEGS FOR MERCY.

Former Bailiff Lynch, Tool in Jury Bribing, Wrecked by Deeds.

SHUNNING FACE OF MAN.

Tells of Five Years Torture, and Accuses Sullivan of Hounding Him.

A "social outcast," long in fear of prison and "in torture" during five years, former Bailiff James J. Lynch yesterday angrily accused Attorney Alexander Sullivan of being responsible for his latest troubles and of trying to "fix" his testimony. Just before the close of his testimony in disbarment proceedings against Sullivan he said, brokenly and in tears:

"I think I have been punished enough. Five years of my life have been wasted. I have been in torture. I made reparation for my wrongdoing by exposing the jury bribing plot in the interest of the public, and I think I should be let alone. I am an outcast."

"You don't look like an outcast," declared former Judge Gilbert, interrupting the witness before Master in Chancery Leaming. He glanced at Lynch's portly figure. "What is an outcast?"

"'There's Lynch, Jury Briber.'"

"I don't, don't I?" exclaimed Lynch. "Well, I hope none of you here ever will know what it is then. It's to wake up some morning and find your name in all the papers with the ugly charges all the blacker because you know they're true; it's to find that the confidence gained by an honest life for sixteen years has gone, that the judges and lawyers who always have had a smile and a pleasant word for you know that that confidence was misplaced, that you have betrayed your own friends, that the men who used to come up to you on the street to shake your hand look the other way now when they pass, that you dread to go out of your own home, and when you do, you walk down side streets hoping you will not meet anybody you know, holding your handkerchief up half the time to hide your face, yet knowing that the people you pass nudge each other and say, 'There's Lynch, the jury briber.' I hope, judge, that nobody here ever will know what all this means.

"When I went to New York I was hounded by detectives and spies who would not hesitate to take my life if an opportunity was presented. I grew tired of being a fugitive and would have been willing to come back and serve my time. I always dreaded that I might be sent to the penitentiary after I was 50 years old.

"Hounded" by Sullivan's Men.

"For weeks I have been hounded by detectives and friends of Mr. Sullivan who wanted me either to refuse to come here and testify in these proceedings or who promised that it would be worth my while to come here and testify for Mr. Sullivan.

"Where do you live in New York?" asked the attorney.

"Why should I tell," said Lynch. "I have done some work there for former Judge McConnell, and these people have been so insistent, they have harassed the judge so, trying to see me and get him to persuade me it would be to my interests to speak for Mr. Sullivan, that he has had to call policemen to put these callers out of his office. I am trying to lead an honest life and make up for my mistakes, and why should I give you a chance to nag at me and spread the information among those I meet in New York that I was a—a jury fixer?"

Lynch denied ever having approached Attorney John P. Smith in the latter's office and having offered to "fix" a jury in a suit against the Grand Trunk railway.

"Did you not say that you had been fixing juries for the Union Traction company and that you could do the same thing for the Grand Trunk railway for $50 or $100?" inquired Attorney Gilbert.

"No, I did not. I never saw Smith until he testified in the Criminal court in the Sullivan case."

"Did you not say that you could have fixed the jury in the Dreyer case for $1,000, but that the attorneys did not know enough to do business with you?"

"No, I never did."

"Did you not say that while the lawyers thought they were smart, you were the thirteenth juror and you did the business?" inquired counsel for Sullivan.

"I did not," again said Lynch.

The witness then told how the jury bribing plot was exposed when Fitzgibbons told his story to a newspaper reporter.

Calls Wife's Testimony Bought.

Lynch explained that the reason his wife testified against him in the Criminal court was that she received $1,350 from the other side. He said she came from the same town in Canada as did Dr. St. John, and declared they were close friends.

As the cross examination proceeded the line of Sullivan's defense appeared. He is trying to prove that Lynch called on him first for the purpose of getting Lynch's brother a place with the West Chicago Street railroad company, of which Sullivan was counsel, and that calls after that were to get a place for himself after Judge Clifford had told Lynch he must resign as bailiff.

Sullivan's counsel tried to force Lynch to admit that he called on Sullivan, asking for a letter of recommendation to the officers of the traction company, and that when it was refused Lynch threatened to "get even."

"Didn't you say to my client, 'I'll make your heart ache for this?'" demanded Attorney Gilbert.

"Never; never in the world," said Lynch.

"Are you afraid you might incriminate yourself?" asked Sullivan's counsel, after Lynch had declined to answer several questions.

"I might," was the answer.

"But you don't fear prosecution on any charges, do you?" asked Mr. Gilbert. "The lawyers for the state have promised you that, haven't they?"

"I won't say that," said Lynch, "but my dealings with some lawyers have been such that I don't put much faith in what they say."

The state's side of the case probably will be concluded Wednesday morning.

OFFER MEDAL FOR AN ESSAY.

Society of War of 1812 Makes a Proposal to the Public School Children.

At the annual banquet of the Society of the War of 1812, held last evening at the Chicago Athletic club, it was decided to offer a gold medal to the Chicago public school pupil writing the best essay on "The War of 1812." The announcement was made by Col. William Porter Adams, who was elected president of the society.

POSES AS AN EXPRESS AGENT.

Clever Young Man Is Busy Swindling Housewives in the Hyde Park District.

A young man representing himself as an express agent has been swindling Hyde Park housewives during the last week. His plan was to "deliver" packages of trash and collect "charges." The last complaint received by the police was from Mrs. Gilbert B. Shaw, 5812 Madison avenue. The packages purport to be from a New York jewelry firm.

CYCLONE HITS CITY'S SUBURBS.

Three Persons Killed, Many Injured, and Buildings Wrecked at Indiana Harbor.

DIE WHEN STORE FALLS.

Number Hurt at Thornton—Other Towns Suffer Damage from Wind and Flood.

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and Fernwood as well the storm reached the proportions of a tornado. Five houses were unroofed, another blown from its foundations, and miles of telephone and telegraph poles were blown down. Twisted telegraph wires blocked the Rock Island and Panhandle railway tracks. Sidewalks were wrenched from their place and thousands of yards of fences scattered through the streets.

Families Have Narrow Escapes.

Among the injured at Washington Heights was Mrs. S. Scharpler, who was badly cut by flying glass. The families of Peter Mellen and Mrs. R. Ray had narrow escapes. Mrs. Mellen and her daughters were in bed when the storm struck. In an instant the roof was carried away and the terrified women were drenched by the rain.

The Ray cottage was 200 feet away. Mrs. Ray and several friends were in the parlor when the roof of the Mellen house crashed upon their dwelling, wrecking the upper story.

A number of other houses and stores were badly damaged.

Traffic on the Calumet Electric Street railway and the Chicago Electric Traction company, operating between Blue Island and Auburn Park, was tied up for hours.

Almost ever house in Burnsides was damaged in the storm. Chimneys were blown down, roofs torn away, and there was scarcely an unbroken window left in the suburb. No one was injured, so far as the police were able to learn. The water covering this portion of the city rose about six inches in the storm.

South Chicago Storm Swept.

In South Chicago the storm continued through the night, sweeping down telegraph poles and flooding a part of the town. All telegraph wires on the railroads between South Chicago and Grand Crossing were down by 9 o'clock, and only one toll telephone wire between the suburb and Chicago was in working order.

Fred Brunk, 9153 Paxton avenue, South Chicago, and his wife, Rebecca, were severely injured when the roof of their dwelling was blown off. Both were struck by bricks.

At Seventy-fifth street and Railroad avenue the wind blew the roof from a building occupied by Brown & Co., coal dealers, and hurled it against a car on the Calumet Electric line filled with passengers. The car was knocked from the track. None of the passengers was injured seriously.

Railway Station Is Wrecked.

At Dauphin Park the Illinois Central station platform and roof were torn up by the wind and thrown across the track, stopping traffic for some time.

The situation in Dauphin Park is serious. Many acres of land are under several feet of water already and sidewalks in the south end of the town are submerged. The sewerage system is insufficient to carry off the water already collected. Last night's storm added materially to the gravity of the situation. The total damage there is put at $15,000.

Street a Tangle of Wires.

The wind put an end to the Rogers Park street car service in North Clark street. Between Devon and Greenleaf avenues fallen trolley and arc light poles and tangled and broken wires stopped all traffic during the night and caused the calling of policemen and firemen to prevent fatalities. Along the west side of the street for six blocks poles were lying in the street or wavering on unsteady supports which threatened momentarily to give way.

Trolley and electric light wires were broken and dangling in the street, and after the first collapse of the poles the still charged wires sputtered and flashed in the pools of water that covered the streets. The occupants of several vehicles and the horses attached to them received severe shocks. Throughout Lake View considerable damage was done by wind and rain.

Evanston Feels the Storm.

In Evanston the wind blew down a number of trees and trolley poles. From Calvary cemetery to Chase avenue, in Rogers Park, the trolley poles and wires were down, and all traffic was suspended until the wrecking cars could string temporary wires.

In the residence portion of Evanston west of the ridge many basements were flooded. A shed near Calvary was demolished, and a tramp was hurt by falling timbers.

Storm Hits City at 6:20 P. M.

The storm which descended on Chicago and its environments at 6:20 o'clock was heralded by a rapid fall of the barometer. An hour later the wind was blowing fifty-three miles an hour from the west. Within the city the squall subsided more rapidly than in the suburbs, but the rain continued through the night. At 8 o'clock a half inch of precipitation had been recorded at the weather bureau.

The storm interfered seriously with the work of the bureau, on account of disarranged wires and lost messages, the reports and forecasts from various parts of the country being delayed about three hours. During the storm the temperature also fluctuated from 55° to 60°, and then back to 57°, in the space of an hour. The maximum temperature was 65°, at 7 p. m.

Storm Strikes West Side.

The cells in the basement of the Warren avenue police station were flooded early in the evening. The prisoners were taken to the West Thirteenth street station.

When Jacob Cohen and his wife returned from a visit to their house, 366 Maxwell street, they found that they had been made homeless by the storm. Their flat is below the street level, and was flooded with two feet of water.

Lightning Sets Fire to House.

Shortly before 10 o'clock a bolt of lightning struck the house of Frank Roegke, 4922 Princeton avenue, ripping every shingle off one side of the roof and setting the building on fire. Roegke, his wife, and three children were badly stunned by the shock, but were revived. The fire department extinguished the blaze before serious damage had been done.

Snow Is Expected Today.

For today much colder weather with showers, possibly turning into snow flurries, is predicted. High winds shifting to the northwest are expected also.

Terrific Wind at Lake Geneva.

Lake Geneva, Wis., March 24.—A fierce wind storm which swept over the city tonight did much damage to property, scores of barns and sheds being unroofed. Because of the damage to telephone service it is impossible to estimate the loss on the shores of Lake Geneva, where there are scores of handsome summer dwellings.

Lake Geneva is cut off from communication to all points except by the line to Milwaukee. Eleven telephone poles were snapped off by the fury of the wind, which lasted for nearly two hours.

City of Racine Is Flooded.

Racine, Wis., March 24.—A storm which is said to have swept the entire southeastern Wisconsin territory has cut Racine off from all communication to the west. All the Wisconsin telephone wires are out of service, as well as the telegraph wires of the Milwaukee road. Officials report that scores of poles have been blown down and that the damage will be great.

Injuries at Grand Rapids.

Grand Rapids, Mich., March 24.—Six houses were completely wrecked and a number of their inmates were injured here tonight by a storm. A large number of buildings were moved from their foundations.

One Life Lost in Fox River.

Kenosha, Wis., March 24.—[Special.]—The rising of the Fox river in this county is causing the greatest apprehension among the farmers of the county. The entire western part of the county has been flooded. Many people have been driven from their homes, two bridges have been destroyed, and one life lost. The estimated loss from the flood is already $20,000. The river is still rising.

George Davis, aged 40 years, of the town of Salem, was drowned in Pollywog creek. Davis attempted to ford the stream with his team, but the horses could not get through. He managed to reach the shore, and securing a boat, went out to rescue the horses. They tried to get into the boat, which capsized, drowning Davis.

The bridge on the main street of the village of Wilmot was carried away yesterday afternoon and the railway bridge on the Wisconsin Central road, near the village of Burlington, went out this morning.

Heavy Damage at Joliet.

Joliet, Ill., March 24.—[Special.]—Several barns which were blown from their foundations and a number of houses swept over in Joliet tonight. The Desplaines is now up to the danger point and in the low districts in the southern part of the city the residents are moving out for fear of disaster during the night.

High Water Record at Peoria.

Peoria, Ill., March 24.—The Illinois river is out of its banks and has reached the highest mark ever recorded. A large portion of East Peoria is under water. People who reside in the lowlands have been compelled to move, their houses being under water.

Severe Blow at East St. Louis.

East St. Louis, Ill., March 24.—An electrical storm, accompanied by a high wind and a heavy fall of rain, caused considerable damage here tonight. The lightning struck many buildings, among them the plant of a fireworks manufactory, which exploded, and three of the larger buildings were burned. A large number of persons were injured, many dwellings demolished, and the loss will reach many thousands of dollars.

Heavy Snow in Northwest.

Grand Forks, N. D., March 24.—Reports from northern North Dakota, Montana, and Canada says snow has been falling all day. Minot reports a snowfall of two feet, and Langdon an equal amount. Culbertson, Mont., reports snowdrifts from five to ten feet deep.

RUBBER BOOT METHOD OF LOCOMOTION IN THE FLOODED STREETS OF DAUPHIN PARK.



In flooded Dauphin Park, where many of the householders use boats and rafts in making neighborhood calls, rubber boots have become popular, and men and women, as well as the children, are wearing them. Even where the sidewalks are above the surface there are numerous places where the boards are missing, and the waterproof footwear is absolutely necessary. The flood has aroused the residents of the stricken locality to the defect in the sidewalk facilities.

RESCUES STUDENT FROM LAKE.

Companion Ties Overcoat to Oar and Saves Warren F. Axtell, a Northwestern Duck Hunter.

Warren F. Axtell, a member of the Sigma Chi fraternity at Northwestern university, was rescued from the lake yesterday morning by Laurence Roberts, also a member of the fraternity. The young men rowed to the ice floe a half mile from shore, and there Axtell shot a duck, which fell on the ice. He landed on the floe, and after taking a few steps fell into a hole up to his armpits. Roberts found that the ice would not bear his weight, and forced the bow of the boat into a soft spot in the edge of the floe, trying to reach Axtell with an oar. The distance was too great, however, and it was only after tying his overcoat to the end of the oar that Roberts succeeded in pulling his half frozen comrade into the boat. When they reached the shore Axtell was almost unconscious.

FEAR USE OF MONEY AT ALBANY.

Members of New York Legislature Showing Signs of a Carnival of Recklessness.

Albany, N. Y., March 24.—[Special.]—With the end of the legislative session only three weeks away there are unmistakable signs that restraints which have kept the members within bounds are beginning to weaken, and the work of the legislature is likely to end in a carnival of recklessness. Bills are pending which, if passed, will cause an enormous loss to the interests which always are more or less at the mercy of legislative whims. Practically all the time honored "strike" bills on the files and scores of new measures have been introduced and so ingeniously framed as to command a semblance of popular support and inspire the persons and corporations whom they threaten with a fear that they will go through unless money is paid to defeat them. There are scores of other bills which will be worth great sums if they can be obtained. At the hotels nothing in the way of good cheer is too costly for the "legislative agents" to purchase for members whom it is desired to propitiate.

DIAMOND BUYER IS SET FREE.

Man Sent to Jail on Complaint of Loftis Released Because Fees Were Excessive.

Because excessive fees were exacted from defendants in Justice John Richardson's court Judge Dunne yesterday freed James Reynolds from the county jail on a writ of habeas corpus. Reynolds was arrested on complaint of Loftis Bros. & Co., 92 State street, who held he had sold a $124 diamond ring bought from them on the installment plan.

Judgment in trover for $89 was given against Reynolds, and he was sent to jail. Judge Dunne found on the mittimus charges of $2 for service of venire and $1 for its issue, each four times the legal amounts. Other large charges were noted.

"These charges are grossly excessive," said Judge Dunne, "and cannot legally be collected. Demand is made upon Reynolds for payment of claims, only part of which are valid. The practice of making excessive justice court charges cannot be countenanced, and the prisoner must be discharged."

LOSES SUIT BASED ON "BABES."

Mrs. Alice C. D. Riley's Injunction Dissolved, Court Holding the Play Was Not Pirated.

The Hamlin-Mitchell extravaganza, "The Babes in Toyland," was not pirated from "The Toyshop," by Mrs. Alice C. D. Riley of Evanston. Judge Brentano yesterday dismissed her suit for permanent injunction and payment of royalties.

Attorney D. L. Morrill had just concluded his closing argument when Judge Brentano said it was unnecessary for him to take the case under consideration.

"The complainant has not sufficiently shown by the evidence that this injunction should be continued in force," he ruled. "The infringement, if any, is so slight and so trivial that it is like an every day occurrence. There was no plagiarism intended. The bill therefore is dismissed and the injunction dissolved."

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ARRESTED ON WIFE'S CHARGES.

Edward Davidson, Theatrical Manager, Accused of Desertion and Cruelty, Denies Both Allegations.

On charges of desertion and cruelty brought by his wife, Edward Davidson was arrested at the Great Northern theater, where he is manager of the "David Harum" company. Mrs. Davidson lives in Glen Ellyn and secured the warrant in Wheaton.

"He left me in New York with only 10 cents," she declared, "and now he is going to pay for it."

Davidson, however, declared he had deeded to his wife Glen Ellyn property valued at $25,000, and said she refused to accompany him when he moved to Newark, N. J. He also denied the cruelty charge.

CITY BREVITIES.

Cab Overturned; Man Safe.—Maurice Rosenfeld, a real estate dealer, 1620 Michigan avenue, had a narrow escape from injury last night in a collision with a Cottage Grove avenue cable car at Michigan avenue and Twenty-second street. His cab was overturned and the driver, H. Morgan, thrown to the street. Mr. Rosenfeld saved himself by jumping.

Freed After Suicide Verdict.—Anna Riley was released from the Chicago avenue police station yesterday when Inspector Shippy was notified a coroner's jury at Kenosha, Wis., had found Andrew Swanson committed suicide. The woman confessed she had signed a mortgage for Swanson, as his wife, to secure $1,000.

Free on Embezzlement Charge.—Earl H. Hotaling, former manager of the Municipal Lecture association, was freed on charges of forgery and embezzlement of $1,500 from the organization. Justice Prindiville yesterday dismissed him on request of the Chicago City bank, which made no explanation.

Rochester Alumni in Reunion.—Fifty members of the University of Rochester Alumni association held a reunion last night at the Chicago club. George R. Barton, '76, was toastmaster; Prof. Joseph H. Gilmore guest of honor, and the Rev. Thomas W. Goodspeed, '63, the new president.

Seek Mrs. Baird in Vain.—William Fitzgerald, father of Mrs. Wesley Baird, and Detective William Keefe of Evanston spent yesterday at Libertyville and Gray's lake in a fruitless search for the missing Evanston woman. Fitzgerald believes she is dead.

Postal Receipts Show Gain.—Receipts at the Chicago postoffice and substations are steadily increasing. For the first twenty days of March they were $788,414, or $84,265 greater than those for the corresponding period in 1903.

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HOUSE IN SNARL ON POSTAL BILL.

Action of Congressman Overstreet Makes It Necessary to Pass a Special Rule.

MORE PAY FOR CARRIERS.

Effort of Indiana Man to Spite Newspapers Puts His Party in Disagreeable Position.

[BY RAYMOND.]
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Washington, D. C., March 24.

Chairman Overstreet of the house committee on postoffices and postroads, who has been in hot water ever since his appropriation bill came under consideration, and who has given the democrats more political capital than any other man on his side of the house, lost his head completely and put himself squarely on record by objecting to that section of the appropriation bill which raises the salaries of rural free delivery carriers from $600 to $720 a year. The party leaders in the house are indignant that Mr. Overstreet, simply to vent his spite against the newspapers, which have been criticising him for his political blunders, should have put the party in the false light of standing in the way of proper compensation for country carriers.

Party Is Hurt by Overstreet's Blunder.

It will be necessary to bring in a special rule tomorrow by which all the regular rules of the house of representatives will be overridden and suspended for the consideration of all matters affecting country carriers. This would not have been necessary except for the fact that when Mr. Mann of Illinois made a point of order on the section of the bill prohibiting rural carriers from acting as agents for newspapers or business houses and was sustained by the chair, Mr. Overstreet made a similar point of order against the section which raises salaries.

As the matter now stands after the action of the committee, the salaries of rural free delivery carriers remain at $600, and they are still permitted, as they always have been, to solicit subscriptions for newspapers and to handle packages for outside business houses which cannot be taken care of through the regular mail service.

When the special rule is presented to the house tomorrow there is some danger that it may not be adopted. If so it will be impossible to raise the salaries of country carriers, and Mr. Overstreet's spite work, directed solely against the newspapers, will react upon himself and upon his party. He comes from an Indianapolis district, and doesn't really care a snap of his finger whether the country carriers have any more pay or not. He is particularly interested, however, in punishing the newspapers because they have criticised him for his extraordinary action in calling for the Bristow report and then seeking to escape responsibility for it. It is likely, however, the special rule brought in tomorrow will cover all the subjects relating to rural free delivery.

Spitework Makes Trouble for the House.

This rule is entirely revolutionary in its character because it suspends the ordinary rules of the house, which specifically forbid legislation upon an appropriation bill. The special rule would not be necessary except for the personal desire of Mr. Overstreet to punish the newspapers at the expense of the carriers.

It is likely that the house, which wants to give the country carriers more pay, but which does not want to deprive them of the privilege of soliciting subscriptions and acting as agents along their routes, just as fourth class postmasters have always done, will, by an affirmative vote, pass a special rule, and then separate the two questions agreeing to increase the salaries and to permit the carriers to act as agents so far as it does not interfere with their duties to the government.

This is the only way in which the house can extricate itself from the unfortunate situation into which it was precipitated by Mr. Overstreet. He is being roundly condemned tonight on all sides for his lack of political foresight. The democrats are particularly happy over the situation, because Mr. Overstreet in person made the point of order against the increase in salary. This goes into the record of the house and copies of today's proceedings will be sent broadcast throughout the United States by the democratic managers. They will not take into account any action by the house to remedy Mr. Overstreet's great political blunder, and the republican party in every rural district will have to bear the burden of his personal resentment and his desire to get even with the people who have criticised him.

Democrats Hasten to Use Their Chance.

Mr. Overstreet's district embraces only the county of Marion, and a great percentage of his voting constituents come from Indianapolis, and hence he cares little or nothing about the welfare of the free delivery carriers. He will be only too glad to see their salary held where it is and at the same time to cut off their special privileges, as that is really the sole purpose of the amendment which was fought over in the house today. Under the existing law rural free delivery carriers get $600 annually for themselves and the use of their horse and wagon.

In many cases the rural carriers have taken the place of fourth class postmasters, fourth class offices being abolished to make room for the new system of delivery. Every one admits the rural carriers are not paid nearly enough. They have been in the habit therefore of receiving commissions on subscriptions for newspapers and have been similarly paid for soliciting and delivering orders for merchandise. These privileges have not involved any departure from the rules of the postoffice department.

Fourth class postmasters, who are also ill paid, have always had the right to engage in other business. They have invariably put their postoffices in a grocery or drug store and have always acted as agents for newspapers, periodicals, agricultural implement houses, mail order houses, and other concerns. This outside work has never interfered in any way with their duties to the government.

Both Sides Agree Higher Pay Is Due.

It is the overwhelming desire of the house, both among republicans and democrats, to increase the salaries of rural free delivery carriers at the rate of $10 a month, raising their annual pay from $600 to $720. It was Mr. Overstreet who first conceived the idea and whipped his committee into line to accept this increase in pay and to withdraw the privilege of acting as agents for outside concerns. He was unwilling to pay country carriers $10 a month more than they get now without at the same time taking away from them those commissions, which in many cases amount to much more than the proposed increase in pay.

In the house today Mr. Mann of Illinois called attention to the fact that the section in the postoffice appropriation bill which prohibits rural free delivery carriers, for the first time in the history of the government, from engaging in any outside business was clearly obnoxious to the rule of the house which provides that no new legislation shall be passed upon an appropriation bill. It was evident the chairman of the committee of the whole, Mr. Bouteli, would rule this paragraph out of order. Therefore Mr. Overstreet made a similar point of order against the paragraph raising salaries, because that course changed the existing law and was equally obnoxious to the rule. He offered to withdraw his point of order if Mr. Mann would withdraw his point against the prohibition of outside work.

Mr. Mann Makes First Point Touching Rule.

This, of course, the Chicago congressman refused to do, because he desired to give the country carriers an extra $10 a month and at the same time allow them to earn commissions, which they now receive from private sources for work done entirely in addition to their labors for the government. Mr. Boutell in the chair of course was forced to rule out both paragraphs, but could not do so until Mr. Overstreet unfortunately had put himself squarely on record as being unwilling to give the country carriers their increase in pay without at the same time depriving them of all outside sources of revenue. It is a well known fact that this extraordinary section of the appropriation bill was conceived originally at the instance of the big express companies of the country, which found the country carriers were making a little money on the side which it was believed the express companies should have in their own overflowing treasuries.
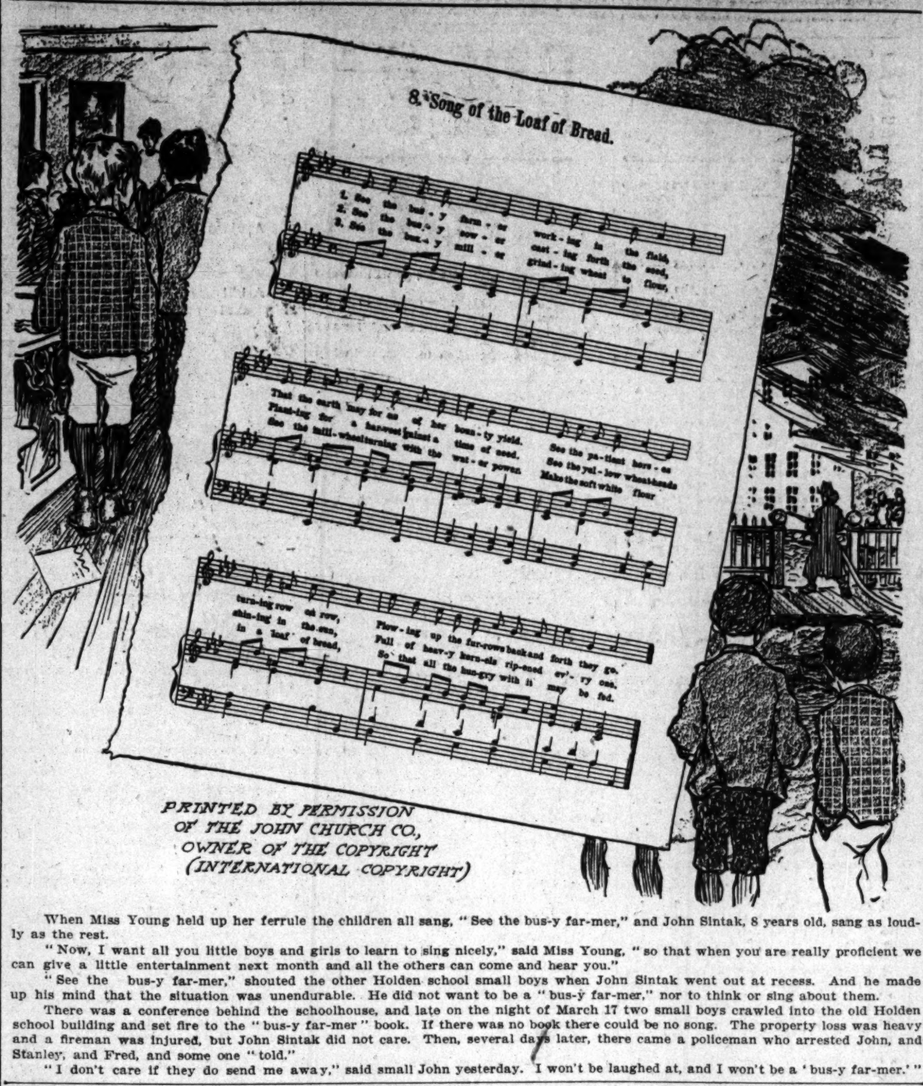
Having run amuck among the newspapers of the country who had held him up to ridicule because of his extraordinary inability to secure the confidence of the house, Mr. Overstreet conceived the idea of raking up this section demanded by the big express corporations and using it to punish the newspapers which have relied upon the fourth class postmasters and now rely upon the rural free delivery carriers to solicit subscriptions.

Overstreet Makes Bad Matter Worse.

If Mr. Overstreet had not made his point of order personally against the increase in salaries no one else would have done so. He was willing to take the chances of putting his entire party in the wrong rather than permit the house to vote for increased salaries without limitations as to commissions and outside work.

Under ordinary circumstances it is not likely the speaker would agree to the passage of a rule for such a purpose, but Mr. Overstreet's blunder has put the house in such a position that both democrats and republicans are anxious to extricate themselves, and will therefore suspend all rules of the house which were originally framed by Thomas B. Reed and thus permit a vote upon the merits of the question, the result being in all probability that the increased pay will be authorized and the carriers will in addition to this be permitted to receive the little commissions and gratuities they have always had.

SONG WHICH MADE A SMALL, BAD BOY BURN THE OLD HOLDEN SCHOOL



When Miss Young held up her ferrule the children all sang, "See the bus-y far-mer," and John Sintak, 8 years old, sang as loudly as the rest.

"Now, I want all you little boys and girls to learn to sing nicely," said Miss Young, "so that when you are really proficient we can give a little entertainment next month and all the others can come and hear you."

"See the bus-y far-mer," shouted the other Holden school small boys when John Sintak went out at recess. And he made up his mind that the situation was unendurable. He did not want to be a "bus-y far-mer," nor to think or sing about them.

There was a conference behind the schoolhouse, and late on the night of March 17 two small boys crawled into the old Holden school building and set fire to the "bus-y far-mer" book. If there was no book there could be no song. The property loss was heavy and a fireman was injured, but John Sintak did not care. Then, several days later, there came a policeman who arrested John, and Stanley, and Fred, and some one "told."

"I don't care if they do send me away," said small John yesterday. "I won't be laughed at, and I won't be a 'bus-y far-mer.'"

SWAYNE CASE IS ALL IN.

SPECIFIC CHARGES AGAINST THE JUDGE ARE FILED.

Prosecutor in House Impeachment Proceedings Declares He Is Nonresident of Florida, Contrary to Law, and That He Imposed Unlawful Sentences and Refused Fair Hearing to Accused Persons — Letters of Indorsement Offered in Defense.

Washington, D. C., March 24.—The evidence in the impeachment proceedings against Judge Charles Swayne of the Northern district of Florida, taken in Florida by the house subcommittee, and including the brief of Judge Swayne in his own defense and that of Judge R. S. Liddon for the prosecution, was furnished to the committee today. It consists of 360 printed pages.

The charges against Judge Swayne, which undoubtedly will be set forth in the report to be filed tomorrow, are as follows:

Nonresidence in the Northern district of the state of Florida.

Unlawfully imposing a fine and imprisonment on one E. T. Davis and S. Belden in 1901. Unlawfully committing to prison in 1902 one O'Neal for alleged contempt of court.

Refusing a fair hearing and trial to one Hoskins in 1902.

That he had been a nonresident of the state and that inconvenience, expense, and injury have resulted to litigants by reason of such absence. That he has appointed and maintained as commissioner of his court one B. C. Tunison, a man of bad reputation, and has so conducted himself as to create a general impression that his court is dominated by Tunison in the administration of justice.

Maladministration of bankruptcy matters before him, whereby the assets of bankrupts were absorbed in costs and expenses.

That he corruptly purchased a lot of land in litigation before him and afterwards tried another case between practically the same parties, involving the same lands, and directed the jury to bring in a verdict in favor of the title which he had purchased.

That he corruptly lobbied with J. M. Barrs to prevent the redistricting of the state.

In his own defense Judge Swayne filed letters of indorsement from seventeen lawyers and five other persons, not attorneys, written in November, 1897, recommending to President McKinley his appointment to succeed Justice Field on the Supreme bench of the United States. He also filed twenty-four letters, mostly of Florida attorneys, written in February, 1899, recommending his appointment to the position of circuit judge of the Fifth circuit.

Judge Swayne said he never was a registered voter, nor had he paid any taxes, in Florida. He said he had spent his summers mostly in Delaware, but had understood that the summer months were the proper time for his vacation. His recollection was, he said, that no one ever had been injured because of his absence from Florida, and that the business of his court had not suffered.

Judge Swayne, in commenting upon the proceedings against him, said they were due to the malice of O'Neal and the intense political feeling engendered at that period.

ASKS NATIONAL FIRE INQUIRY.

H. B. Seely of Chicago Urges President to Direct the Gathering of Statistics.

Washington, D. C., March 24.—The president was asked today to direct that an inquiry be made by the appropriate department of the national government into the destruction wrought by fire in the United States. The subject was presented to him by H. B. Seely of Chicago, who was introduced by Senator Cullom.

Mr. Seely appeared in behalf of the founders of the National Society for the Prevention of Loss of Life and Property by Fire in the United States, the Illinois Manufacturers' association, the Civic Federation of Chicago, and the Chicago Credit Men's association.

The object of the movement is to have the government undertake certain statistical and scientific work in connection with fire losses, which shall form a correct basis for individual action and restrictive state and local legislation. Men of national prominence in business, banking, law, and political science are identified with the national society.

NATIONAL CAPITAL NOTES.

Arguments against the eight hour bill were continued before the house committee on labor by Mr. Randolph, a dyer of New Jersey; D. A. Tompkins of Charlotte, N. C., a cotton manufacturer; A. G. Solomon of Newark, N. J., a leather man; James M. Reilly of the Newark, (N. J.) board of trade, Charles B. Baldwin of the New York paper box manufacturers, and James A. Coe of Newark, N. J.

Although President Roosevelt cannot attend the opening exercises of the Louisiana Purchase exposition, he has consented to press a button at the White house which will start the machinery of the exposition at 1 o'clock (eastern standard time) on April 30.

The postoffice department has given notice that a new domestic reply postal card of the 1 cent denomination will be issued when the supply of reply cards of the old design at the various postal distributing stations is exhausted.

The house committee on merchant marine and fisheries authorized a favorable report on the Frye bill extending the coastwise laws of the United States to the Philippine islands on July 1, 1905, without amendment.

National Convention Delegates.

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		H. E. Cushman.	

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N. Y.	27	James S. Sherman	Rep.

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GOVERNMENT RESTS CASE IN SENATOR BURTON'S TRIAL.

Testimony Shows the Accused Warned Rialto Company and Investigated Postoffice Reports Against Concern.

St. Louis, Mo., March 24.—The government rested its case late today in the trial of United States Senator Joseph R. Burton of Kansas, who is charged with having illegally accepted fees from the Rialto Grain and Securities company of St. Louis. The action of the government came as a surprise to the defense.

A letter from Burton to Thomas B. Harland of St. Louis showed that the senator had warned the Rialto company against a man giving the name of J. H. Bowman, who was declared to be a postoffice inspector. Testimony was introduced to show that Mahaney, Maj. Dennis, and Senator Burton discussed at a meeting in Washington the indictment against Dennis. Telegrams showed that Senator Burton investigated the postoffice department reports and complaints concerning the Rialto company. The senator requested that his correspondence with the company be destroyed, as "it might be misunderstood."

In concluding its evidence the government showed by the testimony of Chief Postoffice Inspector Cochran of Washington that he had been requested by Senator Burton to call at his, Burton's, office on the afternoon the indictment was made public, and that Burton told him he had appeared before the postoffice department, not as a United States senator, but as an attorney for the Rialto Grain and Securities company. He was assured by his colleagues in the senate that his action was legal.

Vice President Mahaney of the Rialto company testified that on March 26, 1903, he paid Burton $500.

HOUSE AGAIN CHECKS INQUIRY.

Williams Taunts Republicans for Failing to Investigate Postoffice Department—Indian Bill Is Passed.

Washington, D. C., March 24.—The house of representatives again put itself on record today against any investigation of the postoffice department. Eight pages of the postoffice appropriation bill were disposed of.

The question of an investigation of the department was brought up by Mr. Williams, the minority leader, who proposed an amendment providing for a select committee of five members of the house and three senators to make a complete investigation into the alleged frauds in that department. He taunted the republicans for their failure to order an investigation, and said the party was opposed to it.

The chair sustained a point of order by Mr. Overstreet against the amendment, and when Mr. Williams appealed, the chair was sustained, 133 to 99. The chair sustained a point of order by Mr. Mann [Ill.] against the prohibition in the bill that rural carriers after July 1, 1904, shall not solicit business or receive orders of any kind during their hours of employment, nor carry any merchandise for hire.

Mr. Overstreet made a point of order, which was sustained, against that part of the paragraph providing that after July 1, 1904, rural carriers shall receive a salary not exceeding $720 per annum. This leaves the salaries at $600 per year, as now.

The senate today passed the Indian appropriation bill.

SPECIAL EXPOSITION STAMPS.

Series of One, Two, Three, Five, and Ten Cents to Be Issued to Commemorate Louisiana Purchase.

Washington, D. C., March 24.—The postoffice department today announced that a special series in stamps in five denominations to commemorate the Louisiana purchase of 1803, and to be known as the commemorative series of 1904, will be issued, beginning April 21, as follows:

ONE CENT—Green, with portrait of Robert R. Livingston, United States minister to France, who conducted the Louisiana purchase negotiations.

TWO CENT—Red, portrait of Thomas Jefferson, president of the United States at the time of the purchase.

THREE CENT—Purple, portrait of James Monroe, special ambassador to France, who, with Livingston, closed the negotiations for the purchase.

FIVE CENT—Blue, portrait of William McKinley, who, as president, approved the act of congress officially connecting the United States with the exposition.

TEN CENT—Brown, bearing a United States map showing the territory of the purchase.

RADIUM.

This Remarkable Mineral on Exhibition at the Regal Shoe Store.

Physicians and Scientists Much Interested in This Latest Product of Science.

There is on exhibition at the Regal shoe store, at 103 Dearborn street, a small tube of the marvelous mineral, radium, which is doing so much to upset theories of medicine, chemistry, and physics. This little tube is only about an inch long and is placed in a handsome jewel box. An announcement on a card says that it is worth $8,000,000 a pound. This is at the rate of $20,000 a gramme.

This is the second scientific discovery that the Regal Shoe Company has used to attract attention to their windows, the first being the Cooper Hewitt Light, which for several weeks gave forth at night from the windows of the Regal stores its weird, green brilliancy.

The specimen of radium exhibited was imported for the Regal Shoe Company from the Paris laboratory of Mme. Sklodowska Curie, the discoverer of radium.

Probably few museums of the country can boast of as perfect radium display as is made by the Regal Company, and which can be seen every day in its windows. The radium will be exhibited for a week or two longer.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS of the Chicago Silver Mining and Smelting company to elect a board of directors will be held at 136 W. 39th-st., at 2 p. m., Tuesday, April 4, 1904. N. M. WHEELER, President.

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Bequest of $500,000 for Girls' Home Held Valid After 18 Years' Litigation.

NEW YORK BUREAU CHICAGO TRIBUNE
New York, March 24.

The meeting tonight of the Tammany general committee of the Twenty-ninth assembly district, of which Thomas E. Rush is leader, became a demonstration for Grover Cleveland as the democratic candidate for president. Charles F. Murphy, who called off a massmeeting arranged by Rush to be held in Carnegie hall to demand Cleveland's nomination, having gone away, no one interfered with tonight's demonstration. The principal speech was made by Charles Putzel. He said:

Tammany Meeting Booms Cleveland.

"Cleveland is the man of all other men who appeals to every class from laborer to capitalist; from the man who casts his first ballot to the octogenarian; from the ignorant to the ripest scholar. No one will gainsay me in stating that no American stands so high in the estimation of all people as does this gentleman of Bayard lane, Princeton, N. J. Roosevelt and his political activity and bargains can only be overthrown and perhaps hopelessly defeated by that democrat who is neither a snob nor rough rider, Grover Cleveland."

After friendly litigation extending over eighteen years, the Court of Appeals has declared valid a bequest of $500,000 made by the will of José Sevilla, a wealthy Peruvian who died in this city in 1886, for the establishment and maintenance of a home for poor young girls. A lot has been purchased and the erection of a building will be begun in a few months.

Bequest for Girls' Home Held Valid After 18 Years.

According to the will, the $500,000 was to be held by a board of managers until it accumulated sufficient interest to defray the expense of the erection of a building large enough to accommodate from 50 to 100 young girls. The principal was then to be held in perpetual trust, the income to be used in paying the running expenses of the institution.

George H. N. Johnson, junior member of the firm of Hincks & Johnson, carriage manufacturers, fell asleep while returning to Bridgeport, Conn., from New York last night, and when the train reached there at 12:30 he failed to awake. While the train was pulling out of the city, however, he was aroused by the brakeman's announcement that the next stop would be New Haven, and rushed, half dazed by sleep, out of the car, to find the train just going over Rolling Lift bridge. The jolt of the train threw him off the car platform. He landed on the ties, sustaining a compound fracture of the right arm. Then he rolled off the bridge into the harbor, and the shock of a sudden bath restored him to consciousness. Swimming with his left arm for a hundred yards or more, Johnson reached the piling of the bridge. His cries for help were heard by the crew of a freight train and he was rescued.

Passenger's Nap Comes Near Costing Life.

Several tenants of the Flat Iron building today complained to Supt. A. L. Dean they were afraid the presence of the "Ladies' Guide to Bohemia," a n establishment which recently moved into the building, would injure their business. They demanded to know what the owners of the building are going to do about it. Mr. Dean told the complainants the woman merely intended to start in New York an establishment such as she said was popular in Paris.

Flat Iron Tenants Object to Lady Guide Bureau.

"That kind of business may go in Paris," said one indignant tenant, "but it doesn't go in New York, at least not in any building in which I conduct my business."

Mrs. G. M. Dana, head of the Bohemia's Guide society, said that her guides were perfectly proper young women and most of them were married and had homes. She said that while no references were asked of patrons she used her own discretion in permitting them to make use of her guide bureau.

Alleging action similar to the celebrated Peter Power litigation against the Northern Securities company, men who constitute what is known as the "whisky trust" are contesting a suit brought against them by Edwin Blum, who charges that the promoters of the Distilling Company of America, capitalized at $125,000,000, made large profits out of the promotion at the expense of the company. So far victory is with the defendants. In the Supreme court today Judge Gildersleeve denied a motion to set aside an order previously granted for an examination of Blum before trial, the object of the order for an examination being to learn who actually is back of the ostensible plaintiff, as it is alleged he is merely a figurehead.

Whisky Men Charge "Peter Power" Action.

"Don't shoot and we'll come down," is the abbreviated form of the measure said to have been sent to Daniel J. Sully this evening by his alleged pool partners in cotton and his adversaries in "sweetheart" poker. This statement is made on the authority of one of the lawyers in the case. He hears in substance that the message was:

"Sully, if you will accept from us collectively $200,000 in lieu of what you may think we owe you, see to it that we are not mixed up in any more of your failures and you can have a check for that amount when you say the word."

Sully's lawyers said they had never heard of any such offer and didn't believe any had been made.

Sully's Pool Partners Make Him an Offer.

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No money is wanted—from you—nor from him. I ask only a postal card, and I ask it as an act of humanity.

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Could I meet you—for even ten minutes—I would forever convince you that I have what these sick ones need. More than that, they must have it, for most of them can never get well without it.

But I can meet only a few, so I take this means to convince you. I let you take it a month to prove what it can do; and you can pay, or I will pay, just as you decide.

I have found the cured ones fair. In the past 12 years I have furnished my Restorative to hundreds of thousands on these terms, and 39 out of each 40 have paid—and paid gladly—because they were cured. I will pay just as willingly if you say I have failed.

My Restorative is the result of my lifetime's work in learning how to strengthen the inside nerves.

I don't doctor the organs, but I bring back the nerve power which alone operates every vital organ. I give the weak organ power to do its duty, as you would give a weak engine more steam.

My way never fails when a cause—like cancer—makes a cure impossible. No case is too difficult, for I have watched the remedy succeed in the most desperate cases that physicians ever meet.

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San Francisco, March 18, 1904.

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Bright's Disease and Diabetes are now positively curable. The recoveries run into the thousands and include not only many of the best citizens but the very highest degree Masons (several of the thirty-third degree), Knights Templars, Shriners, etc.

A sense of duty and love of their fellows moved a number of these to give us permission to use their names in order that the world may know of the genuineness of this discovery. Among them are such men as ex-Surveyor General Theo. Reichert, N. W. Spaulding (now deceased) late President Spaulding Saw Co., and United States Sub-Treasurer, and A. O. Deardorff, M. D. General Reichert recovered himself after twelve years of suffering with Diabetes. N. W. Spaulding's daughter recovered from Bright's Disease after he had spent thousands of dollars and years of time and believed her death inevitable. Dr. Deardorff had several patients recover—extreme cases of both Bright's Disease and Diabetes, one of them being an old school physician.

In the interest of humanity these gentlemen have permitted us to take their affidavits to be given to anxious inquirers.

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FRIDAY, MARCH 25, 1904.

Sir Edwin Arnold.

Sir Edwin Arnold was successively teacher, journalist, and poet. He would have been a great scholar if he had clung to his first vocation. He was a successful editor, and he was a popular poet. It was Sir Edwin's good fortune to have studied Sanskrit thoroughly when a young man. If he had not, he might still have turned from journalism to poetry, but he would not have written "The Light of Asia." He found in the rich Sanskrit literature material which lent itself easily to poetical treatment, and which had for European readers the charm of novelty—that charm which contributes so much to the success of a writer. He told the story of the founder of Buddhism in flowing English verse, and the public read it with delight. It was something new, and, while Christians were pleased with the easy, brilliant style and the oriental imagery, Buddhists spoke of it approvingly as a true portrayal of their creed. While Sir Edwin Arnold easily captured the public of his day, he did not win for himself a place among the immortals. He can be accorded no more than fair rank among the poets of the second class—the poets who must count themselves lucky if they can command the popular ear while they live. Doubtless some of Sir Edwin's poems will always have their readers. They will be a necessary part of every collection of standard English poetry. The men of the next generation will be puzzled to know why those poems, if they read them, should have been so popular with their fathers.

THE PASS STILL WITH US.

The day after the anti-pass ordinance was recommended by the judiciary committee it began to be severely criticised by some of the aldermen who had voted for it. THE TRIBUNE said then among the ostensible friends of the ordinance there were many who were bent on arraying it for the sacrifice. They intended to bring it into the city council so tricked out that it would be reasonably objectionable to a majority of the aldermen.

This design was in part successful. The ordinance which was defeated in the city council night before last seemed to forbid the aldermen to accept free tickets to church fairs, amateur theatricals, and club entertainments. Some of the aldermen will now say that the ordinance was a "freak measure," and that it contained provisions which would have prevented them from accepting perfectly unobjectionable courtesies at the hands of their friends.

THE TRIBUNE does not notice that any of these aldermen are spending much of their time devising an anti-pass ordinance which will not be open to similar criticism. THE TRIBUNE does notice, however, that there was no debate when the ordinance of last Monday night came up for consideration. There was no determined effort to clear the subject of its cobwebs and to produce by discussion an ordinance which would allow the aldermen to accept social attentions, and which would at the same time effectually prevent them from becoming the beneficiaries of theaters and of street railroads.

What the council did was to throttle the whole subject by an immediate undebated vote of 29 to 28 and then leave the remains both without the honor of decent burial and without the hope of resurrection.

THE CONSUMER SUFFERS.

The department of commerce and labor has begun its investigation into the difference between the price of dressed beef and that of cattle on the hoof. The inquiry was set on foot at the instance of the ranchmen, who say that they get much less for their live stock than they did a year ago, but that the price of dressed meat has not declined as it should have done. The inference they draw is that the packers, commonly known as the beef trust, are making too much money.

The trust is meeting the complaint of the cattle men and the departmental investigation in the way which might be expected. It is not paying more for cattle on the hoof, but is raising the price of dressed meat, and thus squeezing a larger profit out of the consumer. If this is to be the only result of the war on the trust the consumer will wish heartily that the war had not been begun.

An advance in the price of dressed meat at Philadelphia has been followed by an advance in New York of from ¼ to ½ a cent a pound, according to quality. The retail butchers cannot get beef or mutton in sufficient quantities except from the trust, and are forced to charge their customers more.

There is no scarcity of meat. The storehouses of the trust at the east and in the west are full of fresh beef and mutton. The only explanation given for the advance by the packers is that they have been carrying on a little war among themselves which forced down prices to a low and unprofitable figure, and that now peace has been made and meat has gone up as a consequence. Consumers who had noticed no reckless slashing of prices and low meat bills will scoff at the explanation.

The beef trust resents an investigation, and shows it by adding to the burdens of the consumer. It needs to be given a more powerful medicine than an inquiry by the department of commerce and labor is likely to be. The trust was enjoined several months ago by Judge Grosscup. If the packers have in any way violated the injunction they should be called to account by him.

LORIMER NONPARTISANSHIP.

Mr. Lorimer has long since recovered from that early attack of callow youthful enthusiasm when he played politics for the love of the game. Or, at any rate, his love is no longer platonic. The Lorimer of the firm of Lorimer & Gallagher is a mature, practical business man with a thoroughly disillusionized appreciation of the economic basis of life. His philosophy now is to take no chances—except the main one.

It is to this philosophy that we are indebted for the nonpartisan organization of the drainage board. Was there ever seen in the history of Chicago or of any other American city a board in which the trivial distinction between republican and democrat was more completely submerged in the recognition of common interests?

There are nine members. Jones, Legner, Smyth, Webb, and Wenter are democrats. Carter, Braden, Cloidt, and Baker are republicans. Last year Jones, a democrat, was elected by the board to the position of president. This year the election went to Carter, a republican. There had been no intervening change in personnel. The board which elected President Carter was exactly the same board which had elected President Jones. This beautiful exhibition of nonpartisan ideals touched the public. And in a vital spot. In its purse.

The contracts awarded by the board have obeyed the law. They have gone to the lowest bidder. No one has ever accused the drainage board of coarse work. But when the Great Lakes Dredging company sent in its bid last year there was only one other bid for the board to consider. That other bid was a scarecrow made of the stuff of which scarecrows are usually made. Methods of this kind, including, perhaps, a proper arrangement of specifications and a judicious encouragement of collusion, make violations of the law absolutely unnecessary.

Such is the Lorimer era of good feeling compared with which the Monroe era of good feeling was the work of immature amateurs.

The firm of Lorimer & Gallagher secured its contract for section 4 of the canal when the number of bids was so small that the only two backward, benighted partisans of the board demanded a readvertisement of the work. This discordant note in the harmony of the proceedings was drowned out by the carefully drilled chorus of the nonpartisan majority.

The firm of Lorimer & Gallagher has now offered to do some additional work for an additional remuneration. Engineer Isham Randolph says that this change in the original terms of the contract will be of great advantage to the people of the sanitary district. His statement deserves credit until it is disproved.

But suppose that some day there should be independent instead of concerted bids for the important drainage board contracts. Suppose that contracts should be awarded to firms which, unlike the Great Lakes Dredging company and the Lorimer & Gallagher company, are not connected by close political ties with the members of the board. Wouldn't Mr. Randolph, as an honest man, rejoice in his release from whipsaw, both-ends-against-the-middle nonpartisanship?

NO LIABILITY ON PASSES.

The federal Supreme court has reaffirmed the decision handed down last month that passengers accepting passes from railroads cannot recover damages in case of accident. The second decision goes farther than the first one, because it holds that there can be no recovery even though the passenger be ignorant of the notice printed on the back of the pass that the company will not be responsible in case of an accident.

In the suit just decided the person injured was a woman. Quite possibly she did not know what was on the back of the pass. But she knew she was riding on a pass, and, "accepting this privilege, she was bound to know the conditions thereof. A carrier is not bound any more than any other owner of property who grants a privilege, to hunt the party to whom the privilege is given and see that all the conditions attached to it are made known." No plea of ignorance of the conditions of a pass will be of any avail henceforth.

If the Supreme court were to hand down a decision of this kind once a week, in all probability there would be no falling off in the demand for free transportation. A pass beggar would reckon that only one passenger out of every one hundred thousand is killed or injured and decline to be scared off. But the man who accepts a pass certainly ought to hedge. He ought to take out an accident insurance policy, so that if he prove to be the one hundred thousandth man he may have some compensation for his injuries.

By the way, do the passes which railroad officials give to United States senators and other high functionaries have the customary provision about no liability in case of accident or is it omitted out of respect for their feelings?

RIGHTS OF THE "NATURAL PERSON."

The Supreme court has decided that a corporation, which is an "artificial person," cannot acquire a majority of the stock of competing railroads and control them. That disposes of the "holding company" as a device for doing away with competition in interstate commerce. The court has not decided that a "natural person," or what Mr. Bryan used to call a "God made man," cannot acquire and retain the control of parallel and competing roads, and it is plain that the court as at present constituted will not so decide.

Justice Brewer is one of the five who held the Northern Securities merger to be illegal, but he does not concur in all respects with the conclusions of his four associates. He says in his opinion that if Mr. James J. Hill were the owner of a majority of the stock of the Great Northern railroad company, "he could not by any act of congress be deprived of the right of investing his surplus means in the purchase of stock of the Northern Pacific railway company, although such purchase might tend to vest in him through that ownership a control over both companies." The general language of the anti-trust act, says Justice Brewer, "is limited by the power which the individual has to manage his own property and to determine the place and manner of its investment."

The rights of the "natural person" are safe. If he is a multi-millionaire he can buy the control of competing roads to the extent of his means, and the Supreme court will hold, if the question is raised, that he has been exercising one of his "inalienable rights." But the "natural person" is not so dangerous a monopolist as the "artificial person," because his life is so much shorter and the probabilities are strongly against his leaving an heir who will inherit his capacity or his ambition. At this time Mr. Hill and Mr. Morgan control between them the Great Northern and Northern Pacific roads, and may retain the control while they live. But they cannot vest it in an undying corporation.

If you see a town with a river on all sides of it, it's Riverside.

THERE will be no new Northern Securities company. Mr. Hill will try to find some other name for it.

CARRY an umbrella, anyhow. You may need it as a protection from the sun.

WE can readily believe the story that the ducks of the Pink Mink marsh are laying black eggs. They flew over this city on the way there.

AN occasional rain does good. It helps to k—p the c—y cl—n.

BUT the good roads people must not expect Gov. Yates to take more than a passing interest in their convention at Springfield next May. He can't levy 5 per cent on them.

THE distinction, you perceive, is that it was Lawyer Burton, and not Senator Burton, who received that money.

MR. QUAY, who has been ordered by his physician to smoke only half a cigar a day, complies by having his cigars made three or four times the usual size and length. Mr. Quay is a shifty and resourceful statesman.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT'S latest streak of luck is the gaining of the active hostility of Webmouth Davis.

AT last Kansas City is to have a new railway—addition, in the shape of a long shed, built of lumber.

THAT earthquake in the east failed to jar the Hon. Tom Platt entirely loose from his sphere of influence.

IN A MINOR KEY.

Professional Point of View.

"How do you like the way they're playing that symphony?"

"It's perfect."

"Then what are you looking so bored about?"

"I've got to go and write a criticism of the blamed thing."

In the House of Its Enemies.

Though Ald. Werno tried,
With might and main,
To put them out of the deadhead class
He tried in vain.
At paying their way to see a show
They drew the line.
They gave him the glassy eye—
The twenty-nine—
And thus the ordinance died,
And made no sign.
For they were one too many,
That graft combine.
So, by one vote, one measly vote,
Alas!
It failed
To pass.

They'd counted noses, and they turned
No speeches loose.
For oratory here would have
Been no excuse.
The thing was safely cinched, and so
What was the use?
They took that ordinance, then and there,
And cooked its goose.
They merely winked the other eye,
And bold
As brass,
They said,
"We pass."

The Chugs.

Mrs. Chugwater—"Josiah, what is a 'filtering plant'?"

Mr. Chugwater—"Well, cotton is a pretty good one, if you can't get anything else."

Too Unanimous.

"Talk about men being lords of creation! Why, I can twist that husband of mine around my little finger."

"Yes, I suppose so. He's rather small, isn't he, and quite slender?"

"Small and slender? He isn't any such thing! There's enough of him, let me tell you, to make a million such husbands as yours!"

Uncle Allen.

"Likely as not you have noticed," said Uncle Allen Sparks, "that a man who 'spelled the school down' once or twice when he was a boy never gets quite well of it." C. W. T.

THE MUELLER BILL.

[From the Chicago Evening Journal.]

The most important proposition which will come before the voters at the spring election will be the question of the adoption of the Mueller bill.

At the price of much time and much labor the citizens of Chicago secured this enabling act from the legislature. It does not become a law in any municipality until adopted by the voters at a general election. It will be before the voters of Chicago April 5. The citizens will not be committing themselves to municipal ownership this year or next by voting to adopt this law. The adoption will simply give the municipality the ability to bring about municipal ownership if at some future date the voters should desire public ownership. It is an enabling act—one which will give the city more power while taking away none of the existing rights of the municipality. It will give the city a club over the traction companies. While giving the city a way to own the street car companies, the Mueller law carefully safeguards every step of the actual municipal ownership problem. Having secured the law, a community cannot go into the street railway business without first carrying the actual municipal ownership proposition, and later carrying a traction bond issue by a substantial majority. Vote for the Mueller bill! It is the biggest proposition that the voter will find on his ballot. Do not overlook it!

SELF-LIMITATIONS OF DISEASES.

Dr. James B. Herrick will speak at the School of Domestic Arts and Science Monday morning on a subject of great importance to all women upon whom the welfare of others devolves. The self-limitations of certain diseases is a professional way of saying the natural courses which certain diseases must run. The importance of this is not in the actual medical knowledge imparted as in the understanding obtained of the development which must be expected when pneumonia, or typhoid fever, or several other diseases are once started. Such an understanding will enable the house mother to recognize serious symptoms and to learn to ask the question: "Is the condition good or bad for this stage of the illness," instead of "Is he better today than he was yesterday?" An understanding would thus be established between physician and family that would do away with much unnecessary questioning and fear and would be invaluable to the patient.

Certainly women should avail themselves of this opportunity to learn these things when they are not under the terrible stress of anxiety, and should respond cordially to this effort to establish intelligent cooperation with the doctors.

Typhoid fever cannot be "broken up" in the middle of its course, and neither can pneumonia, and oftentimes a simpler treatment than the one given would be better for the patient could he and his family be convinced of this and learn to see that the natural progress of the disease is not necessarily a condition for the worse.

Silent Conviction.

"Remember," said George Washington's father, "that if I had punished you for chopping down that cherry tree it would have hurt me more than it hurt you."

George said nothing. But across his mind flashed the thought that his incapacity for prevarication was not an inherited trait.—Washington Star.

LETTER OF MARQUISE DE FONTENOY

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BOTH czarinas have decided from now on to wear no color but black or white in sign of mourning for the officers and soldiers who are losing their lives fighting for Russia, and there is no doubt that their intentions in this respect correspond with the prevailing feeling amongst people of every class in the empire where both the classes and the masses are keenly alive to the gravity of the situation, which, in spite of all that is telegraphed to the contrary, has had the effect of reviving not only patriotism but also religious sentiment to a degree that would astonish those foreigners who are accustomed to look upon the members of the great world in Russia as the impersonification of everything that is worldly.

Little Grandduchess Olga, by the bye, is now 9 years old, and this year made her first confession, and for the first time received the sacrament with her mother, the empress, and her grandmother, the dowager empress, in the private chapel at the latter's Anichkoff palace. Previous to this the young grandduchess had undergone the customary fasting, that is to say, the abstinence for nearly a week from meat, butter, eggs, and milk, and restricted to only one square meal a day.

While the Italian courts are unable to pronounce a divorce, since the latter does not figure in the Italian code, yet they can decree the nullity of the marriage on the same grounds as those which are admitted by the English and American courts of law. Thus the tribunals at Rome have just annulled the marriage which took place in 1897 between Prince Francis Del Drago and the Belgian countess, Marie Vandernoot d'Assche. The countess was warned not to marry the prince, but the temptation to become a princess of the ancient Roman house of Del Drago and a niece of the late King Francis of Spain and of the old Queen Isabella was too great, and so the Countess Marie became Princess Francis Del Drago.

She speedily repented of the mistake which she had made, returned to her relatives in Belgium, and appealed to the vatican for release from her marriage vows. The pope delegated the cardinal archbishop of Melines to investigate the case, and on the strength of the report of the metropolitan of Belgium the union was annulled by the vatican under conditions which enabled the young woman to resume her maiden name. The countess—for she is a princess no longer—thereupon applied to the Italian courts, and the latter have on the same grounds as those which actuated the vatican in the affair restored her to liberty, the prince being once more a bachelor.

If I call attention to this affair it is because Prince Giovanni Del Drago spends much of his time in the United States, where some confusion has arisen owing to the matrimonial misfortunes of his elder brother being wrongly ascribed to him. Both princes are the sons of the late Princess Del Drago, who was a half-sister of Queen Isabella of Spain, that is to say, a daughter of the late Queen Christina of Spain by her second husband, Munoz, whom she raised from the ranks of a private in the army to the dignity of a captain general, of a minister of state, and of a duke of Rianzares. The family of Del Drago is one of the patrician houses of Rome, was founded in the twelfth century by a certain Rudolphe de Dragonibus, and was content with the title of Marquis Del Drago until the early part of the nineteenth century, when it received from the papacy the princely coronet.

Both the Princess Irma Fuerstenberg and the duchess of Ratibor, who have recently been appointed "dames du palais" to the German empress, are Austrians by birth, and hold identically the same rank and title at the court of Vienna. At Vienna this dignity is a purely titular one, and it is understood that the appointment conferred upon the two women in question, as well as on several others at the court of Berlin, is also to be of an honorary character. This is a new departure at Berlin, where the rank of "dame du palais," or "lady of the palace," has hitherto been restricted to the senior and chief of the ladies in actual and constant attendance upon either the empress or upon one of the princesses of the blood.

The innovation thus inaugurated by Emperor William bids fair to prove popular and to add to the brilliancy of his court, since there will be a number of women who have hitherto been remiss in their attendance, but who will now be anxious to secure the appointment of titular "dames du palais" to the German empress, which will become as much of a hall mark in Germany as it is in Austria.

But few, even at Vienna, are aware that the office and title of "dames du palais" were first instituted by the great Emperor Napoleon with the object of surrounding Empress Josephine with a bevy of brilliant and well bred women destined to dispel her ennui and to prevent the nonchalant and frivolous creole from giving away too readily to every passing whim and caprice, some of which were far from being imperial in their character.

The old marquise de Las Marismas, who has just died at Paris, was in spite of her origin—she had been a Miss Jacobs—one of the conspicuous figures of the court of the Tuileries, a favorite of Empress Eugénie and a relative of the Talleyrands, her husband's sister, Carmen Aguado, having married Adalbert de Talleyrand, now duke of Montmorency, and younger brother of the imbecile duke of Talleyrand-Perigord-Sagan and of Valençay. The Aguados are of Jewish origin, and the founder of the family may be said to have been Alexander Aguado of Seville, who joined the French when they invaded Spain, and served throughout the peninsular war as aid de camp to the French Field Marshal Soult. After Waterloo he established himself as a banker in Paris, making a specialty of Spanish finance and of Spanish loans, receiving from the late Queen Christina while regent the title of marquis de Las Marismas.

When the third Napoleon secured the French throne, and married Empress Eugénie, the latter at once intrusted all her money matters to the banking house of Aguado, and, recognizing in its members fellow countrymen, she overwhelmed them with every kind of favor and with honors, attending entertainments given at their Parisian mansions and country seats, appointing Alexander Aguado, husband of the woman who has just died, to be her chamberlain and gentleman in waiting, and negotiating in person the matrimonial alliance between Carmen Aguado and the duke de Montmorency. When the empire was overthrown the sun of the Aguados likewise set, and they have long since ceased to be factors of any importance in Parisian life.

In view of the fact that Asiatic problems are those which at the present moment are of the most vital and absorbent importance to the British government, it is, to say the least, unfortunate that with the exception of Lord Lansdowne, who was viceroy of India for several years, there is not a single member of the British foreign office in Downing street who is acquainted with any eastern language, or who has lived or served in any oriental country. It is now suggested an Asiatic department should be organized at the foreign office, analogous to the Asiatic division of the ministry of foreign affairs at St. Petersburg, and that some diplomat who has served in Persia, such as Sir Arthur Hardinge, or some political officer of the department of foreign affairs at Calcutta should be placed in charge thereof. An excellent man for the post would be Sir Ernest Satow, if he could be spared from Pekin, where he is now minister plenipotentiary.

There is no foundation for the story in London Truth that King Edward has conferred the rank and precedence of royal highness upon the children of the duke and duchess of Connaught. They enjoy this by right as children of the son of a sovereign. Young Prince Arthur's offspring, however, when he marries will no longer be entitled to the predicate of "royal highness," which lapses after the third generation from the throne.

Philosophical.

Pinch—"Don't get foolish just because you've had a little money left to you. You'd better be economical now."

Gayley—"Ah! it's too hard."

Pinch—"But if you don't live economically now you'll have to later."

Gayley—"Well, it isn't so hard to be economical when you have to."—Philadelphia Press.

A LINE-O'-TYPE OR TWO.

The Bewildered Copper.



No, I can't promise nothin'; ye will have to mind th' law.
Th' shape that things is comin' in 's th' worst I ever saw.
Th' good old way was good enough for any one of sense—
A feller knew just when to stop, an' when not to commence;
Reforms would last a week or two—they never lasted three—
But now I don't know what to do, for they're reformin' me!

It's truth! I dassent leave my beat to stop by Murphy's place
Without th' lieut. or captain's there to stare me in th' face;
An' nights! Why, say, it's fierce enough to make a feller weep.
S' help me, all this week I haven't had a wink o' sleep!
They keep me hoppin' right along, just like the busy bee;
Their work is gettin' pretty strong—an' they're reformin' me.

I'm rattled. Yes, it's on th' square—they've simply got me queered;
It's: "Wear no week-old collar, nor a three day growth o' beard,
An' crease yer pants, an' show yer cuffs, an' polish up yer star,
An' shine yer shoes, an' get no cramps from hangin' on a bar!"
No, I can't promise nothin'—'tisn me you want to see
About the way you run your biz, for they're reformin' me.

Ye can't make handbooks on th' street, ye must step to th' curb;
Ye cannot dance till 12 o'clock—th' peace ye will disturb;
Ye cannot spit from 1 to 5—ye've got to close your face;
No poker on th' trolley cars nor any other place—
I know it's all mixed up I am, but sure, you will agree,
I'm not expected to be calm when they're reformin' me!

W. D. N.

MUSIC AND THE DRAMA.

LE NOZZE DI FIGARO.

An Opera in Two Acts.

BY

W. A. MOZART.

Presented at the Auditorium, Chicago, by the Metropolitan Opera Company, March 24, 1904. The Cast:

Susana	Mme. Sembrich
Cherubino	Mme. Seygard
Marcellina	Mlle. Bauermeister
La Contessa Rosina	Mme. Gadski
Il Conte d'Almaviva	M. Journet
Figaro	M. Campanari
Dottore Bartolo	M. Rossi
Antonio	M. Dufriche
Basilio	M. Reiss

Conductor, Mr. Felix Mottl.

"Through water to the stars," might have been the paraphrased reading of the Latin motto the patrons of the opera last night could have adopted with all appropriateness. For if ever mortals struggled through floods to reach the place where the stars were shining, the music lovers who braved the elements to reach the Auditorium last night were they. But the stars repaid the trouble, for Mr. Conried's constellation of bright lights shone with even more than customary brilliancy, and, grouped as they were in the wondrously fair musical firmament the magical genius of a Mozart had prepared for them, they brought to the assembled company forgetfulness of storms and floods, and awakened only consciousness of the golden sunlight of music and merriment.

It has been four years since Mozart's brightest of operas, the "Marriage of Figaro," was last presented in Chicago, but, if the applause and heartiness of the approval with which it was received by the audience last evening be taken as a guide Mr. Conried and Mr. Adams will see to it that so long a time is not allowed to elapse before it again has place in the repertory of our only too brief opera season. Given with a cast as competent as was that of last evening it should become one of the most popular and best paying bills of any engagement, and, with the "Magic Flute," might serve to prove that Mozart is not an unprofitable proposition in the grand opera field.

How fresh, and neat, and bright it all seems! Even the comedy has not faded or grown antiquated. The skillful plotting of Figaro and Susanna is just as amusing today as when it was first written, the scene of Cherubino's escape and the duping of the Count still awakens admiration by the cleverness with which it is arranged, and the whole story moves with a briskness and merry lightness that keeps interest alert and enjoyment keen. As for the music, it is among the finest, the most ingratiating, the most spontaneous that loveliest and most lovable of classic masters ever penned. The score is a veritable succession of gems, each one perfect in its way and each complementing and enhancing the beauty of the other. The "Se vuol ballare," the "Non piu andare," the "Voi che sapete," the "Dove sono," the "Deh vieni," and that masterpiece of duets, the inimitable "Letter duet"—where in a single opera will such an array of melodies direct from the fount of purest, highest musical inspiration be found. And these are but the more strikingly beautiful blooms in the wondrous garland of fragrant musical blossoms Mozart has woven about this merry story of the love of Figaro and Susanna.

The opera is a masterpiece, and the performance accorded it last evening was in many respects worthy of it. A more ideal Susanna than Mme. Sembrich the stage of today does not boast; the Countess of Mme. Gadski is an impersonation dramatically and vacally of many merits; the Figaro of Mr. Campanari is second in excellence only to the Susanna of Mme. Sembrich; and the Count of Mr. Journet and the Cherubino of Mme. Seygard are in many ways acceptable.

With such principals and with that master interpreter of Mozart, Felix Mottl, at the conductor's desk, a performance of true worth is a certainty. Mr. Mottl last evening again showed himself a leader who appreciates and understands all the fineness, the merry lightheartedness, the exquisite humor, and also the clear characterizing dramatic values that are contained in the music of Mozart, and he is able to make each and all of the qualities patent to the listener. The orchestral score last evening was radiant with beauty, rich in color, and vital with spirit and animation as read by him and his men.

Mme. Sembrich was the incarnation of happiness, mischievousness, and graceful merriment. What an artist this woman is! How she enters into every rôle she assumes! How clearly and finely she differentiates them, and yet what delicacy and elegance characterize them all. How spontaneous and hearty her comedy appears, and how sincere and genuine seem her moments of emotion and sentiment. She is a skillful actress, is this Polish songstress with the golden throat, and never is the tiniest detail in her work slighted. As for her singing—it is probably the most perfect Mozart singing the present generation of music lovers can hear. Lilli Lehmann is possibly her equal when the true Mozart style is under consideration, but she is the only one. Last evening was an unalloyed delight, so far as Mme. Sembrich was concerned, and her singing of "Deh Vieni" will remain long in memory as one of the perfect things the present season of music has brought.

Mme. Gadski was a joy to the eye and her delivery of the music was in marked degree gratifying. Traces of nervousness were noticeable in the "Porgi amor"—it is a trying test of nerves, introduced as it is at the commencement of a scene and with no preparatory recitative—but these soon passed, and in the "Dove sono" she was in full command of her every power, and a more beautifully finished and tasteful interpretation of the great aria could not be desired. As for the "Letter Duet," which she sang with Mme. Sembrich, that was one of the most perfect vocal achievements imaginable. The audience would brook no denial—the number had to be repeated.

Mr. Campanari is a Figaro par excellence both in acting and in singing. He plays the part as briskly, glibly, and attractively as he does the same named character in "Barber of Seville," and he sings the music even more satisfactorily. Mr. Journet was ponderous in action as the count, but his voice is one of such richness that listening to him is always a pleasure. Mme. Seygard made a pretty Cherubino and sang the grateful music acceptably. Miss Bauermeister was a good Marcellina, Mr. Rossi a capital Bartolo, and Mr. Reiss an adequate Basilio.

W. L. HUBBARD.

Tonight "Tosca" will be presented, with Mme. Ternina in her remarkable impersonation of Floria, and Mr. Scotti as Scarpia. The cast reads thus:

Floria Tosca	Mme. Milka Ternina
Un Pastore	Mme. Bouton
Mario Cavaradossi	M. Dippel
Il Baron e Scarpia	M. Scotti
Cesare Angelotti	M. Dutriche
Il Sagrestano	M. Rossi
Spoletta	M. Bars
Scairrone	M. Bégué
Un Carceriere	M. Cernusco

Conductor, Mr. Nahan Franko.

FRIDAY, MARCH 25, 1904.

DO YOU REMEMBER THAT—

ONE HUNDRED YEARS AGO TODAY:

A great change was taking place in men's dress, trousers taking the place of breeches and long stockings.

SEVENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TODAY:

Prominent merchants of New York agreed to spend a few minutes every day at the coffee houses to give strangers a chance to transact business with less trouble.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY:

Advices from Hongkong announced the defeat of the Chinese imperial army by rebels.

FORTY YEARS AGO TODAY:

A bill was introduced in the house at Washington for the construction of a ship canal from the Mississippi river to Lake Michigan.

THIRTY YEARS AGO TODAY

A boom was started in the New York stock market on rumors that $25,000,000 would be added to the national currency, and that the free banking bill would be passed by congress.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY:

A great religious revival meeting was held in London by Dwight L. Moody and Ira D. Sankey.

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY:

Coxey's "army" of seventy men began its march from Massillon, O., to Washington.

"Enthusiasm Never Cleaned the Streets"

"ENTHUSIASM never cleaned any streets."

"Street cleaning is not play."

"An improvement association, to be successful and permanent, must be put on a business basis from the start."

"Any community, no matter how poor, can have clean streets if it wants them."

"The blame for dirty streets and filthy alleys rests primarily upon the people."

"There are just as many lazy people in the improvement associations as there are in the city hall."

Those are some of the principles in which his experience at the head of the South Central Improvement association has led President Edward C. Wentworth to believe. This association, organized a year ago, includes members living within the territory bounded by Sixteenth street on the north, Thirty-first street on the south, Michigan avenue on the east, and the lake on the east.

"We held two or three preliminary meetings at the Lexington hotel," says Mr. Wentworth, "and then formed and incorporated our association. Then, before we had raised any money, before we had a cent in the treasury, we hired a superintendent at $1,000 a year and an office at $20 a month for our headquarters. We also hired a few men and set them to work cleaning the streets and picking up the papers and other rubbish.



"STREET CLEANING IS NOT PLAY."

"Presently we began to get a few good sized contributions. In all $1,500 was raised by voluntary contributions. Then we started out solicitors to call at the houses of residents and present our contracts for signature. These contracts bind the signer to pay $1 a month all the year round for every twenty-five feet of frontage he may occupy. In return we agree to have the street in front of his place swept every day, to have all the papers and rubbish picked up twice a day, and to have the street thoroughly washed on one night of each week.

"There are 175 blocks in our territory, and last year we took care of only forty-two of them. This year we expect to largely increase the number. In regard to the cost of doing the work we have found—

"That one man can keep six blocks of asphalt pavement perfectly clean, including the daily sweeping, the picking up of papers and rubbish twice a day, and the weekly washing of the streets. In the winter time—if the snowfall is as heavy and persistent as it was this year—he cannot, of course, remove the snow from the street, but he can keep the crossings open and clean, the paper and rubbish cleaned up, and the catchbasins open and in good working order. And, in addition, he can give the street a good cleaning whenever the snow melts.

"We divide our district into subdivisions of six blocks each and we send a solicitor to call on every resident in each of the six blocks. When enough contracts have been signed to guarantee a regular income of $50 a month for the six blocks we put on a man and start our work of cleaning the streets and keeping them clean. Of course, we do not stop soliciting when we have secured $50 a month. We would like to have more money, so that we could buy teams and take care of the alleys and garbage properly. But that will come in time. We are young and the $50 a month enables us to start work on a purely business basis.

"At present we take care of the dirt which is swept up on the streets with wheelbarrows and we make it serve a double purpose. There are in our section, as everywhere throughout the city, a considerable number of vacant lots. A good many of these lots are in bad condition. They are full of big holes or are below the grade generally. We get permission from the property owners and from the city and then we dump the dirt swept up from the streets into these holes and below grade lots. When we get them filled up to grade we level them off and sod them over. In this way we get rid of our dirt and at the same time add to the beauty of our part of the city. And often we find that the owner of the vacant lot which we undertake to fill up to grade is glad to pay us a little each month towards the cost of the work.

"We have not yet been able to do much towards the proper cleaning of the alleys, though we try to coöperate with the city in that direction. But that will come later.

"I read what Supt. Solon had to say with great interest. To a large extent he is right. It is not my business to criticise him. I am sure that the improvement associations must coöperate with the city hall to get the best results, and I think that coöperation should begin immediately, to take advantage of the annual housecleaning which the city proposes to undertake next week. I see that Mr. Solon says he would be glad to hold a conference with the officers of the various improvement associations in order to arrange for coöperation, and I think the idea is a good one. I suggest that he call such a conference to be held in the city council chamber some evening next week, at which, in addition to the heads of the street cleaning department and the officers of the improvement associations, the various ward foremen be invited to be present. I think such a conference would do a great deal of good, and Supt. Solon is the man to call it.

"As for the improvement associations, I am minded to remind them that enthusiasm is a fine thing, but it never cleaned any streets. Street cleaning is not play, and I don't believe in organizing the children to do the work. They won't do it. An improvement association to be permanently successful must be organized and managed on a business basis. By that I don't mean that it is necessary to raise any great amount of money. I believe that any community, no matter how poor, can have clean streets if it wants them. But it must undertake the work on business methods. It won't do to simply hold a lot of enthusiastic meetings to denounce the city hall. There are just as many lazy people in the associations as there are in the city hall.

"You must have somebody to do the work. And there must be a headquarters where complaints can be made and necessary business attended to. About the first work we did after we formed our association was to look up a lot of catch basins and sewers which were blocked; we also found a number of water plugs which were worn out and practically useless, and other city improvements which were in bad shape. We made our complaints specific and took them to the proper departments in the city hall. I am bound to say that I cannot recall a case in which our complaint was not acted on promptly and properly.

"That illustrates the advantage of having an improvement association properly incorporated and backed by a list of the most prominent and influential citizens in the district. The city hall officials, who might pay small attention to the complaints of an individual, are quick to act when the complaint comes from an organized body which has a large and influential body of backers behind it. The fact that an association is strongly indorsed is a guarantee that the association is 'on the square' and is going about its work in a businesslike way."

Here is a statement of the purposes and objects of the South Central Improvement association, of which Mr. Wentworth is president:

1. To secure asphalt streets throughout the district as soon as practicable.
2. To secure uniform pavement of all alleys.
3. To thoroughly flush or clean streets and alleys.
4. To compel observance of clean street ordinance.
5. To take proper care of all vacant lots and parkways.
6. To coöperate with city officials and employés.

Last month the association sent out a special circular to all its "friends and patrons." The letter asks those who receive it to coöperate with the association in the following directions:

1. Stop sprinkling of asphalt streets.
2. Prevent throwing of anything in streets, alleys, and vacant lots.
3. Removal of all kinds of advertising signs.
4. Prevent, on sanitary grounds, the renting of barns to fruit peddlers.
5. Report violations of ordinances and make suggestions to our association.



ALL PAPER AND RUBBISH PICKED UP TWICE A DAY.

It winds up this letter, as all its other literature, with the statement: "This association expects to be permanent in this vicinity." H. M. H.

BABIES ACT A PROBLEM.

KNOW WOMEN "HOW TO MAKE THE BEST OF THE WORLD."

Dozen Children Munch Cake and Know No Care, While Mothers Worry Over Obstruse Question at Holmes Club Meeting—Infants Surprise Guests at Gathering—Members of Other Organizations Give Learned Answers to the Riddle Under Discussion.

While a half dozen club women were there wrestling with the question, "How to Make the Best of the World," at the meeting of the Holmes Woman's club yesterday, a half dozen babies, waddling, and crawling, and cooing, solved the problem by munching cake with white icing on it. These same half dozen crawling babies and another half dozen children just old enough to balance themselves on their two feet for a time threatened to shatter the mental equilibrium of a dozen guests of the Holmes Woman's club. The guests belonged to clubs where children are discussed as "problems," and where such subjects as "Kant's Problem: What We Can Know and How," and "The Individual Recognized as a Reality" are presented in scholarly papers.

Babies at Club a Novelty.

First the dozen guests of the club stumbled over babies on the stairs leading to the meeting room at Twenty-sixth and Wallace streets; then they found the door to the clubroom blocked by two little urchins with a stick of peppermint candy dissolved on their faces and hands. They found their nerves grated by cries of "Mamma, turn here and lift me up," just as one of the speakers was enjoining her hearers to appreciate the joy of living.

Babies are admitted to the Holmes Woman's club, and its members declare that their club represents the highest type of woman's organizations because, under its roof, home life and club life are one. The child of the secretary of the club watched her mother write down the minutes, and the young son of the club treasurer counted the half dollars that had been collected from the members for the benefit of the Chicago Charity hospital.

Women Solve World Problem.

Mrs. J. W. Hiner, president of the Chicago South Side club, urged that to make the best of the world both men and women should always keep a song in their hearts. She declared that more joy is received through music than through any other agency.

Mrs. Harriet M. Van der Vaart of Neighborhood house declared: "Always grow, and no matter how limited your sphere keep on growing if you want to make the best of the world."

Mrs. Julia H. Jaffary, president of the Woodlawn Woman's club, said: "Make your mind great and your life will be great."

WOMEN ELECT DELEGATES.

Choose Chicago Representatives for National Reunion of Daughters of American Revolution.

The Chicago chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution yesterday elected the following delegates to the national reunion:

Mrs. James H. Walker, Miss Eliza Hosmer,
Mrs. Lizzie McL. Elliott, Mrs. La Verne W. Noyes,
Mrs. John D. Sherman, Mrs. B. Fessenden,
Mrs. W. W. Abbott, Mrs. Francis S. Smith,
Mrs. Perry L. Wright, Mrs. E. E. Sparks,
Mrs. Herman J. Hall, Mrs. Emerson Brush,
Mrs. Henry Osgood, Miss Bertha S. Titus,
Mrs. Elwood McGrew, Mrs. H. A. Bogardus.

The reunion will be held in St. Louis in May.

IN THE SOCIETY WORLD.

The art gallery in Mrs. Potter Palmer's residence will be turned into a miniature auditorium on the evening of April 4 for the concert to be given in aid of the Russian Red Cross fund. Ten boxes are to be constructed and a small stage around the fireplace. This will permit about 700 seats to be installed, which will be sold at $5 each. The boxes will be disposed of at $100 apiece by Mrs. Harold McCormick, and many of them have already been purchased. The patronesses for the occasion will be:

Mrs. J. Ogden Armour, Mrs. W. W. Kimball,
Mrs. Emmons Blaine, Mrs. H. H. Kohlsaat,
Mrs. Watson Blair, Mrs. Frank O. Lowden,
Mrs. Theodore Brentano, Mrs. Franklin MacVeagh,
Mrs. Arthur Caton,
Mrs. W. J. Chalmers, Mrs. Harold McCormick,
Mrs. John M. Clark, Mrs. R. Hall McCormick,
Mrs. Charles R. Crane, Mrs. Potter Palmer,
Mrs. Charles Deering, Mrs. Honoré Palmer,
Mrs. Augustus Eddy, Mrs. Harry Rubens,
Mrs. Stanley Field, Mrs. Harry G. Selfridge,
Mrs. James Harlan, Mrs. Russell Tyson,
Mrs. Charles Henrotin, Mrs. P. A. Valentine,
Mrs. Richard F. Howe, Mrs. Dudley Winston,
Mrs. William R. Harper, Mrs. James A. Waller.
Mrs. W. W. Keith.

Mrs. Palmer is giving the concert and has arranged to have the program rendered by Richard Strauss and his wife. Many applications for tickets have already been received, together with voluntary donations to swell the fund to be devoted to aiding the wounded soldiers and sailors.

Miss Bertha Spafford, daughter of Mrs. Anna E. Spafford of the American colony in Jerusalem, was married in that city on March 19 to Mr. Frederick Vestor. Mrs. Spafford is a former Chicagoan, and her daughter has visited here frequently.

The marriage of Miss Grace Louis Braymer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Braymer, 6126 Jackson Park avenue, to Mr. James P. Bicket will take place on April 26. It will be a large affair, celebrated at the Lexington Avenue Baptist church at 8:30 o'clock in the evening. The ceremony will be performed by the Rev. L. A. Crandall of the Memorial Baptist church.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Wight Neumann, 3441 Michigan avenue, will give a luncheon today in honor of Mme. Sembrich and Mme. Gadski. On Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Neumann entertained at dinner in honor of Mme. Ternina and Felix Mottl, when the guests numbered Anton Van Rooy, Herr Burgstaller, M. Sauret, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Ganz, Mr. A. Dippel, and Miss Von Possart, the daughter of the general director of the Royal opera in Munich.

The last of the Lenten recitals by Mr. Vernon D'Arnalle will be given this morning at the residence of Mrs. George Payson, 88 Astor street.

Mrs. William B. Jerome, 4740 Prairie avenue, will give an opera party Saturday afternoon, taking her guests to see Mlle. Calvé in "Carmen" at the Auditorium. The party will be composed of Mrs. Charles F. Hills, Mrs. George Hughson, Mrs. Clarence A. Tuttle, Mrs. James David Adams, and Mrs. F. H. Baker. Mrs. Jerome entertained similarly last Saturday at the Auditorium.

Prince and Princess Engalitcheff have closed their residence in Dearborn avenue and have gone to the Metropole hotel to stay until their departure for St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. William Thompson, 369 East Chicago avenue, will sail for Italy on March 29.

Mrs. Parry Wright, 193 East Thirtieth street, has returned from California and Texas, where she has spent the last two months.

The library committee of the Alliance Francaise will give a concert on April 18 for the benefit of the library. Mrs. James McKay, Mrs. H. P. Newman, and others are interesting themselves in the work, and the arrangements will be completed shortly. The list of patronesses, which is a long one, numbering many of the most prominent people in town, will be announced Sunday.

Mrs. John Kiser, 3357 Michigan avenue, gave a large luncheon yesterday followed by cards. There were twenty-four guests. Mrs. Kiser, Mrs. James H. Channon, and Mrs. Frederick Babcock will leave today for New York. They will go later to Atlantic City to remain until after Easter. Mr. and Mrs. Kiser will likely spend the summer in Europe.

HOT SPRINGS, ARK.,

Via the Wabash.

Spend March and April at this great health and pleasure resort. The Wabash sells through sleeping car tickets. Excellent parlor and cafe library car service. Leave Chicago 11:03 a. m.; arrive at Hot Springs 8:30 o'clock next morning. Free booklet, rates, etc., on request. Ticket office, 97 Adams street. Telephone Central 3046.

Your Corner

Every day hereafter on week days as well as Sunday Fadette will try to help you in your troubles and will give you advice if you ask it. Read her column in The Daily Tribune and thus get earlier answers to problems that vex you. You don't know all you can know until you have asked Fadette

SUPPOSE we sing a pæon of praise to This Minute.

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THIS Minute is the minute we are living in.

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THIS Minute is the crown and corolla of the past, the bulb and bud of the future.

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IT is the child of yesterday; it is the fond papa of tomorrow.

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WE have often heard so; poets and prophets have long poetized and preached so.

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EXPERIENCE has often given us a hint to that effect.

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ERGO, it might not be a bad, bad plan practically to realize the momentousness of This Minute; to live, to love, and to enjoy This Minute.

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LADY OF THE LAKE: "As a young business woman I wish to have some business cards engraved and would be glad for suggestions on the subject." On the professional card should appear not only your name but, in the right hand corner, your business address with office hours, and in the left hand corner the nature of your business when that is not implied in your name, as, for instance, a physician is known by the "M. D." after the name and a dentist by the "D. D. S." Those representing large firms have in the left hand corner the words "Representing Messrs. Black, White & Co.," which is sufficient for address, and all newspaper women mention the name of their paper. Stenographers have "Stenography and typewriting" or "Stenographer and typist." Modistes have "Robes et manteaux" or "Gowns and wraps," etc. The material and quality of the card should be of the best and the lettering should be engraved, not printed, in black in block, script, or old English lettering. For wear and tear year after year no style excels the script. Cards of the most approved type give the full name, as Miss Marigold Hutton Laurence or Dr. Marigold Hutton Laurence. For social purposes the business woman requires another set of cards of the same size and style, bearing her full name and her residence address.

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BUTTERFLY: "I should like to have fine feathers, but I have not the money, and what can any one do nowadays without nice clothes? I see you mention them often." The well dressed woman is she who expresses in her dress her understanding of herself and her surroundings. Good taste, brave Butterfly, is the secret of the air of refinement and respectability and charm which makes the smart girl smart. Costliness has little to do with the real effect of clothes. Never before was there a time when women at small expense could be so charmingly and so attractively clothed as this immediate minute. Cultivate the taste which will enable you to have few clothes and those well fitting, neat, modishly cut. One good coat and skirt suit in blue, black, brown, or gray with blouse to match for every day and a white silk blouse for better wear will last a careful girl through a season. Little turnover collars are cheap and dainty for every day wear. Have a well made hat and neat gloves and shoes, dress your hair becomingly, and you will know that you have attended to the "average woman's business for the benefit of the community in which she lives to look her best." Buy carefully, buy little, and buy well.

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LADY'S MAN: "Is it quite improper to use the word lady? Woman sounds rough and unpolished to me." The woman question rivals the problem of the future presidency. A rose by any other name would smell as sweet, but to be called by any other reflects on the knowledge of the speakers, for by their speech "shall ye know them." Are they well bred, ill bred, or desperately rococo? If well bred they use both "lady" and "woman," and each under the correct circumstances. As a grand generic distinction be it said that "woman" is used when the realities of life, character, emotions, looks, qualities, etc, are treated of, while "lady" is used to express the outside characteristics, the conditions of cultivated society, and the respectful, distant, and chivalric etiquette which society claims for its women members. Say "a beautiful woman," "a clever woman," never "beautiful lady," "clever lady." Again say, "I am traveling with ladies," "I am taking my ladies to the theater," "Where are the young ladies?" It requires a fine ear and a fine sense of fashion and propriety always to choose the right word in the delicate and almost unsettled estate of these two epithets.

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B. H. M.: "You see how really ignorant I am, but I wish you would tell me a little about the different parts of the blood." To begin with, "Blood is thicker than water," and to go on with (more sensibly), when a drop of it is magnified under the microscope the red color is seen to be due to a number of minute red particles in it, the fluid itself being really like thin white of egg. The particles are called the blood corpuscles. Amongst the red ones are a few white ones, so they are called the red corpuscles and the white corpuscles. The reason that blood looks like a red fluid is that to the naked eye the corpuscles are too small to be distinguished. The red, shaped like coins, are so small that it takes more than 10,000 piled one on top of the other to make a pile an inch high; the white are a little larger, shaped like peas. The egglike fluid nourishes the tissues of the body, and carries the digested sugar and fat to the brain and muscles for their work. The red corpuscles carry fresh air from the lungs to the tissues and foul air from the tissues to the lungs. The white corpuscles destroy disease germs and heal all injuries like cuts, ulcers, broken bones.

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BELDEN: Your inquiry, "Will you kindly tell me where one can sell antique jewelry and silverware? I do not refer to worn out things which could only be used by a refiner, but to things in perfect condition, and, I think, valuable on account of good workmanship," has found a cornerite who wishes your address. If you will send it in I shall be glad to forward.

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M. M.: This is something from a charming "young" woman of about ninety—Mrs. Elizabeth Cady Stanton.

"I attribute my old age in part to advantageous circumstances," she says, "in part to a happy, hopeful temperament, a keen sense of humor, sympathies for all my fellow beings, and a deep interest in all the vital questions of the hour.

"One must have an earnest purpose in life beyond personal ambition and family aggrandizement.

"Self-centered characters do not possess the necessary elements of a high development. If one would have a happy old age the first condition is a sound body; to that end exercise, diet, dress, sanitary conditions are all important.

"Nature does her best at all periods of woman's life to make each change one of added health and happiness. Those obedient to her laws rejoice in every step from youth to age.

"Fifty is the heydey of intellectual life. Then the vital forces used in reproduction are garnered in the brain, giving new ideas and adding force, clearness, and beauty to thought.

"There comes to a woman eloquence of expression and she finds a wider field for her sympathies. She has new interests in the great world which is the future home of her children, in which she is now to labor to make it fit for them to live in.

"My philosophy is to live in the present. Regrets for the past are vain; the page is turned; there is no remedy for what is done. As to the future anxieties are equally vain; we do not know what one day will bring forth; what we hope or fear may never occur; the present is all that is ours."

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ALMA: "Having read the different horoscopes given in 'The Tribune' every morning we wondered if it was necessary to send in only date and year of birth in order to have you give them. Kindly inform us through 'The Tribune' if we are wrong, and if date is all that is necessary may we look for our horoscopes soon?"

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Notice the coupon appearing in "The Tribune," nom de plume, year of birth, month, date of month, hour, place, sex, are necessary. It appears every Sunday.

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"SANKO GARABALDI": This person is sensitive and nervous, susceptible to diseased conditions of others and should strive to be only with healthy persons and those near his own age. He is industrious and economical and will be well provided for in his last days. There is love of knowledge in all directions, and he could follow almost any calling requiring mental ability and good judgment. Money invested in farm lands will be likely to prove profitable. The year 1904 does not indicate much success.

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"W. J. J. MAN": This person is especially adapted to public life and will succeed in literary work. He is industrious and affable in manner, with a sort of magnetic power over others. He has strong business endowments and would succeed in speculation or in mercantile pursuits. He will gain much by inheritance, there is an indication of a legacy in 1904, and he will also receive many favors from friends, who will be made on short acquaintance. Marriage is prophesied by the direction of Venus in about two years, and the married life will be quite happy. He should beware of falls or hurts for the next two years, otherwise the outlook is generally favorable.

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OMEGA: You are inclined to be timid and fearful of the future and must have had the "blues" many times. You are shown to be most successful at the place of birth and are likely to receive an inheritance from your father's family. Venus is now in a situation which indicates a marriage recently or else in the near future: at any rate, the year 1904 promises much prosperity and happiness. You have too much of a tendency to roam about to make the most of your abilities.

FADETTE.

Pittsburg Special

Via Pennsylvania Lines leaves Union Station daily at 7:30 p. m., and arrives Pittsburg 7:45 next morning.

Get tickets and sleeping car space at city office, 248 Clark street, or Auditorium Annex.

DOMESTIC SCIENCE.

Conducted by the School of Domestic Arts and Science of Chicago....

LESSON NO. 198.—The milk commission.

IN the early part of April, 1903, at a meeting of the Children's Hospital society of Chicago, a report upon the conditions in hospitals which cared for children showed that the hospitals of Chicago were not using a high grade of milk for their patients. In the discussion which followed this report it was proposed that a committee be appointed to investigate the conditions of the milk supply, and report some plan for obtaining, at least for the hospitals, a higher grade of milk at a fair price. From this grew the work of the milk commission.

About this time there was the agitation which resulted in the abolishing of the two delivery a day system, and a little later it was also decided by the milkmen not to begin the day's work until 8 o'clock in the morning. This meant that the milk of Chicago, brought in from 9:30 to 10:30 in the morning, and placed in the bottles and iced, was sent out the following morning at 8 o'clock. It will be seen, therefore, that the morning's milk so delivered would be at least thirty hours old before it reached the first customer, and that the night's milk, which was shipped and in many cases mixed with the morning's milk, must, at the least computation, be fifty hours old before reaching the first customer. Most of those living in the congested districts did not receive their milk until it was some hours older than this. In many cases they had no ice, and the health department and the physicians of Chicago predicted that there would be a terrible infant mortality during the heated term.

Thousands of infant lives are necessarily sacrificed anfually by impure milk. Dr. Shakespere of Philadelphia, an eminent authority, states that nearly, if not quite, one-half the deaths in cities in this country are due to that class of diseases which are known to be preventable, chief among these preventable diseases being the diarrheal disturbances of young children, and the prime agent in the production of these is impure milk.

Milk is nature's food for at least the first nine months of a child's life, and milk from the mother's breast is the ideal food. When that is impossible to the infant the best substitute is cow's milk, properly modified and diluted, since the milk from cows contains less fat than human milk. When a mother is diseased in any way she is at once forbidden to give the breast to the child, and the milkman is ordered to bring an extra quart for the baby. Is it not as necessary to know the source of this food, to know whether this foster mother is healthy, is clean, is properly fed and housed? The infant cannot draw from the udder direct, and it is between the udder and the child that most of the contamination occurs.

Bacteria bred and fostered in unclean stables, shaken from dirty udders, washed from soiled hands of the milkers, fall into the baby's milk in the process of milking. Cans hastily and improperly cleaned, with the sour and practically decayed milk lingering in the crevices, may next receive it. It is hurriedly shipped, tossed and bumped for thirty-six to forty-eight hours, perhaps six hours longer than this, before it reaches your door—the sole sustenance of your baby, whose delicate stomach never was made to cope with dirt and bacteria. Summer complaint, teething disorders, diarrhea, dysentery—how they make our hearts stand still with fright. Not all the milk is like this? No, but have the consumers any means of knowing which is good and which is bad? It tastes, smells, looks alike, and yet one may bring life and another death.

The milk commission therefore decided that its work should be not only the inspection of farms, the procuring of a high grade milk for the hospitals, but also the preparation and distribution of pure milk to stations throughout the congested districts, so that a mother might obtain an ideal food for her child at a small price.

The board of education gave the milk commission the use of the basement of the Thomas Hoyne school building, corner of Cass and Illinois streets, rent free, for its laboratory.

Through an article published in one of our daily papers, Mr. Nathan Strauss of New York City, who has labored to the ends for which the milk commission strives, heard of the plans of the commission—namely: that of furnishing to the poor and sick a safe milk for infant feeding. He did much by his personal efforts, and by giving the services of Dr. Green, who has been at the head of the Strauss laboratory for many years, and many of our public spirited citizens went down in their pockets to make the plan possible.

July 7, 1903, the first milk was sent out by the milk commission to its various distributing stations. The milk sold at a penny a bottle for the first four formulæ, and 2 cents for the whole or unmodified milk. The milk was bottled so that each bottle contained but one feeding, and in this way was free from contamination. The cost to a mother for feeding a child was thus from 6 to 16 cents a day. The commission, during the months of July, August, September, October, and a part of November, distributed thus through thirty-one stations 227,629 bottles of this pure, modified, and Pasteurized milk. The result was that the death rate of infants for that term, instead of being so largely increased as had been feared, was materially reduced.

Some amusing and pathetic stories have been told by those having charge of the milk. At first a great deal of the milk was returned because of the "yellow stuff" on top, which was thought to be medicine. Never to have seen cream before is a volume in itself. One of our great troubles has been that the mothers regarded the milk as a medicine, to be used in case of disease only, and to be dropped just as soon as the baby "picked up." Then the child was fed upon scraps from the family table, to be given milk again only when the little stomach rebelled and the child was in a desperate state.

It seems to need a great deal of education to persuade the average mother that milk is the natural food of a baby, and that no child should be given solid food until nature indicates, by the formation of teeth, that its stomach is ready for something else. One mother said that her nursing baby seemed to crave bologna. It was only after much persuasion that she consented to give it nothing but milk. Some of our weakened little folks looked like infants of 3 months with the saddened faces of adults of 30 years or more. Perhaps this child was 1½ years old; some even 3 years old, stunted from lack of nourishment as well as fresh air, owing to the crowded districts.

How did we reach them? Mothers' meetings, dodgers printed in eight languages—German, Lithuanian, Italian, Polish, Yiddish, Norwegian, Bohemian, and English—and posters placed in conspicuous places. The doctors command, the visiting nurses urge, and gradually the demand increases. Not only is it the poor and ignorant alone who need education upon the subject of milk. The well-to-do and even the wealthy have a vague idea of where the milk given to their children and placed upon their tables comes from, what the conditions surrounding its production are, and why one costs 2½ or 3 cents and another 12 cents a quart.

Women are the natural economizers, and without this knowledge with respect to milk the housekeeper almost invariably chooses the milk which costs her the least. In the last ten years the cost of living has increased materially. We pay almost as much again for beef and for many of our staple articles of food. We have been given reasons, which we have accepted, willingly or unwillingly, for this increased price, and have submitted; but an increase in the price of milk seems to be the last ditch, where the housekeeper has taken her stand. She must be shown good reasons for paying an increased price, or she will take from a rival milkman at a lower price, from whom she asks no questions. The poor mothers have willingly paid a higher price than they have ever paid, although far below the cost of production, for the sake of giving the baby a safe food. The same process of reasoning must be gone through with the women who can better afford a larger price, in order to make them see that clean milk costs more than a dirty and inferior grade.

The milk commission has been given an opportunity to work toward this end by publishing articles upon the milk question from time to time under the Domestic Science department. It has gladly accepted this opportunity, and will have, on an average, an article once a week touching upon the subject in this space.

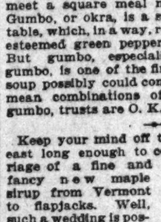
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Household Hints.

BY ADA M. KRECKER

CHOICE GUMBO OF JUMBO SIZE ARRIVES WITH MAPLE SIRUP.

Gather around closely, ladies and gents, and step upon the inside. We have before you today some of the choicest gumbos, or okras as they are more popularly known, that ever became identified with a big show. The gumbos are jumbos, and, like the message from the dear ones at home, they are "it." The jumbo gumbos are from the land of flowers, where De Leon tried to locate a certain fountain, and how they like to bathe in consommé! Gumbos are fine in spring soups in that they serve to give a sparkle to the red corpuscles and whet up a desire to meet a square meal more than half way. Gumbo, or okra, is a sort of slippery vegetable, which, in a way, resembles in shape the esteemed green pepper, only it is smaller. But gumbo, especially the new grown gumbo, is one of the finest flavorings that a soup possibly could combine with. If trusts mean combinations of soup and Floridan gumbo, trusts are O. K., likewise HOORAY!



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The Judicious Mother—

Has a practical as well as an ideal system which keeps the nursery from being overcrowded with toys, sure to be the tendency of yuletide courtesy—and also preserves the toys from the breakages consequent upon such overcrowding. She does not tell the children of her scheme. She selects from among the mass of toys a number which are to be laid aside for some future time.

A large box in the attic or the upper shelf of some closet may be a storehouse for many of these treasures. There they will rest unharmed until the playthings in the nursery become an old story, when they in their turn are relegated to the upper shelf, and the new toys appear. These will be hailed with delight by the little ones, by whom they have been forgotten.

When the children have been confined to the house by a storm, or, more trying still, to the nursery by some ailment that makes life seem dreary to their baby eyes, behold mamma appears with her reserve fund, and out of door allurements and indoor ailments are forgotten in the joy of new possessions.

MAKE THE PATIENT COMFORTABLE.

This is the first duty of the nurse of modern times.

There are, however, some ever important things to be remembered, the first of which is that all the surroundings of a patient shall be as cheery and natural as possible.

The chamber should be an attractive one, if it can be so arranged, with plenty of windows through which the purifying sunshine enters during some part of the day.

If the patient can bear it the shutters of these should be kept open.

Of course, a careful nurse will never allow her patient to face a light directly, or even the dancing flecks of sunshine which come through the shutter chinks.

The air with which an invalid is to fill his lungs hour after hour must be pure and sweet, since it is to become a powerful ally in the battle with disease.

It is not enough to ventilate the room thoroughly once a day, though that is important, but there should be a steady current of air passing through, created perhaps by an open fireplace and window lowered slightly at top, or opened a little both above and below when there is no chimney.

A little coffee or incense may be burned occasionally for additional purification.

The temperature of a sick room must be kept even. A thermometer, hung at the head of the bed and out of sight of the patient, should constantly register 65°, or thereabouts (in winter-time).

The nurse is a paragon in her quiet movements and tactful notice of her patient's needs without asking questions. She sees for herself that the pillows need shaking. She knows when the hot water bag should be applied to cold feet without troubling their tired owner about the matter, and she must be able, moreover, to administer medicines and nourishment at appointed times and comfortably to him. She sees that whispering is not carried on to the annoyance of her patient. She seldom asks him how he is feeling, trying to keep his thoughts from himself.

Where necessary, she keeps a written record of temperature, amount of nourishment and sleep taken, etc., which report is quietly submitted to the physician in charge upon his recurring visits.

To a nervous patient small things are annoying. A wise nurse does not allow wrinkles to form in the bedding. When she makes the bed she arranges part at a time. The soiled lower sheet is first unpinned from the vacant side and is pushed as far toward the center of the couch as possible. A clean and thoroughly heated one replaces it, being fastened to the lower edge of the mattress and smoothed also toward the center of the bed. The unused pillow now receives its fresh warm covering, and the patient is gently moved to the place prepared for his reception, while from the now vacant part the soiled sheet may easily be drawn and the new one be stretched and fastened.

During the operation the warm upper covering has been undisturbed, being simply loosened at the foot, and now from beneath this the upper sheet may be drawn and be replaced by another without once removing the blankets.

The skillful nurse selects the most nourishing food, with as little waste about it as possible. Eggs, milk, gruels of cereals, meat broths, or purée of beans or peas, for instance.

The preparation of the food and the mode of serving must be faultless.

A flower or two as decoration to the tray adds a charm to the repast.

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Following Warm Rains It Might Work Serious Injury and Market Has Sharp Reaction—General Milling Demand at Higher Premiums Draws Attention to the Small Supplies—Corn Trade Light, but Cash and Futures Are Higher—In Other Pits.

Predictions for a cold wave in Kansas and Nebraska, following warm rains in the southwest, disturbed the serenity of wheat shorts yesterday more than anything which has happened on the recent long decline. It limited offerings and encouraged buying for long as well as for short account, starting the market up, and reports of cash sales here and at other markets at advanced premiums kept it going until there had been net gains of 1½c to 2⅝c.

Some profit taking by early buyers who were still uncertain whether a market which had acquired so confirmed a habit of going down could hold a 3c rally, and some selling on the estimate of fairly liberal Argentine shipments of 3,200,000 bu cost the market part of its advance, but the close showed net gains of 1⅛c to 2c for the day. The best advance was in the May, which sold from 92c up to 94⅞c and closed at 94c, under the influence of some Armour buying and the strong cash news. The old July sold from 86¾c to 88¼c, a net gain of 1⅜c, and of 2⅛c from the low point of Wednesday. The close was ⅛c under the top at 88c. The new July closed 1c lower at an equal advance, the old September gained 1⅛c to 83⅛c, and the new September 1⅛c to 82⅛c.

There was more or less complaint from the winter wheat belt, notably Indiana and Oklahoma, of wheat looking badly, and the Price Current, while declaring the week favorable for the crop, admitted the prospect was unpromising in the Ohio valley. There had been a heavy rain at Wichita the night before, with traces at Concordia and Dodge City, and there was a low barometer over the southwest, indicating more moisture, because of which the Kansas City market started weak, and the gain there finally was only ⅛c to ½c.

Kansas Wheat May Freeze.

But the prediction of a cold wave for the southwest, the temperature to fall 8° to 10° below freezing, made the market strong from the start. There was continued buying by local bulls, the northwest took wheat here, and there was some foreign buying of September, as there has been for several days. There was a noticeable absence of offerings until the market had had quite a rally. Valentine took about 250,000 bu May and was a moderate bidder for old July at times. There seemed to be an impression among local traders that there had been buying of old July by Armour through commission houses. Rosseau, Spencer-Dennison, Pringle, Dunn, Comstock, Mitchell, Logan-Bryan, Kneeland, and Gifford were all good buyers. When old July reached 87¾c a line was marketed by Laidley, and from 88c to 88¼c and back there was a good deal of commission selling. Kidston and Cudahy brokers sold September.

The reported cash business had as much effect as anything on prices. There were sales of 20,000 bu No. 2 red here at 5c over May and of 10,000 bu No. 1 northern at ¼c under, higher premiums than have been paid. Toledo, St. Louis, and Milwaukee all reported good cash sales to millers, and Duluth was trying to buy back at an advance cargoes sold to New York for spring shipment. The Minneapolis flour news was bearish, but the market was strong, gaining 1⅛c. Kansas City reported the mills there would close. Southwest receipts were again lighter than last year, 60,000 bu at St. Louis and Kansas City, compared with 67,000 bu, and shipments were 184,000 bu. The northwest had 297 cars, compared with 242 last year, and primary points 416,000 bu, compared with 363,000 bu. Clearances were light, 124,000 bu, all flour. Export sales of wheat of 88,000 bu were claimed. Liverpool closed ⅜d higher.

Trade in Corn Light.

There was a small market in corn, although a good deal of ground was covered, the trade chiefly local and influenced largely by wheat. There was a firm opening, followed by a weak spell, on which the May sold off to 51¼c, on light and scattered commission selling, but it advanced 1c on almost as moderate a demand and closed ⅜c higher at 52⅜c. The deferred futures gained ⅛c. The market was helped by the firm cash tone, prices steady to 1c higher on light receipts and good local demand. An increased proportion of the corn was from Nebraska, and its quality fine, the No. 3 corn selling as high as 49c. The shipping demand was dull, sales about 25,000 bu. The seaboard reported 24,000 bu, taken for export. Clearances were 200,000 bu. The inspection sheet showed 138 cars in, with 10 contract, and 2 grading No. 3. There were 50,000 bu No. 2 out of private houses. Today's receipts will be about 104 cars. Primary receipts were 319,000 bu, compared with 300,000 bu last year. Liverpool closed ¼d higher. There was selling of May by Logan-Bryan and of July by that house, Cudahy brokers and Sickel-Roberts. McReynolds, Adams-Samuels, and Cooke bought May, and there was buying of July by Bennett, Wagner, Pringle, and Comstock.

Pressure on May Oats.

Oats were not much influenced by the strength in other grains, the July and September held about steady, but there was pressure on the May, which sold from 39¼c to 38⅞c, and closed at 38⅞-⅞c, a loss of ¼-⅜c. The principal selling was by Bartlett-Frazier and Updike. There was some buying by McReynolds, Pringle, and Buckley, but trade as a whole was light. The cash market was steady to ½c higher, the shipping demand moderate, sales about 25,000 bu. There were 123 cars in, with 9 standard, and about 30,000 bu standard out of store. Car lots for today will be about 140. Clearances were 22,000 bu.

Modest Advance in Provisions.

Provisions made slight gains near the opening, lost part of the bulge mainly from dullness, then added a little to early gains on the wheat strength, and closed 7½@10c up for pork and ribs and 5@7½c higher for lard. There was an easy going trade, without special significance. On the first swell there was selling of lard by Steever and by Boyd-Lunham and smaller packers and buying of lard and selling of ribs by Roloson. Buying was scattered, partly influenced by the small hog run and partly by wheat. Beckwith and Gregson took ribs, and later Wolff was a buyer of May lard. There were only 19,000 hogs at the yards, about 10,000 under the estimate, and 17,000 are expected today. Prices were up 5@10c early, but lost 5c of the advance later. Shipments of both meats and lard were under last year, the lard total 979,000 lbs and the meats 1,795,000 lbs. Country advices indicate the probability of a continuance of light hog receipts for a time at least. Liverpool lard was 6d lower.

Flaxseed Up One Cent.

Flaxseed was dull, but bids were advanced ½@1c. No. 1 northwestern was $1.15 bid and No. 1 $1.08½ bid. May bids were at $1.10½ and March $1.08½. Receipts were 14 cars, all noninspected here, 18 at Minneapolis, and 48 at Duluth, against 108 at the three points last year.

Rye was neglected, no sales of car lots being reported and buyers and sellers of futures unable to get together. May was 71c asked and 70c bid. July was nominally 67c. No. 2 was quoted at 69c. Offerings were meager, receipts only one car and 14,545 bu were shipped.

Barley was dull, with offerings small. Malting sales were mostly from 38c to 50c, with fancy quotable up to 58c. Feed sold from 37c to 39c and screenings from 30c to 39c. Receipts were 19 cars and shipments 43,530 bu.

Timothy seed was quiet and firm, prices averaging 5c higher. September was nominally $3.00 and March and May $2.90. Country lots sold mostly from $2.40 to $2.45 and fancy would bring about 28c.

Clover seed was dull and unchanged. March was nominally $10.50 and country lots salable from $8.00 to $10.50 according to quality.

Range of Active Futures.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Closing Mar.24.	Closing Mar.23.
WHEAT.					
March .	93½	95½	93½	95½	92
May ...	92-93	94⅞	92	94	92
†July ..	86⅝-87	88¼	86⅝	88	86⅝-¾
*July ..	85⅝-86	87¼	85⅝	87	85⅝
†Sept ..	82½-82⅝	83⅜	82½	83⅛	82⅛
*Sept ..	80⅜-81	82⅛	80⅜	82⅛	81
*Old. †New.					
CORN.					
March .	50⅝	50⅝	50⅝	50⅝	50
May ...	51½-52	52½	51¼	52⅜	52
July ...	49⅛-¼-½	49¾	49⅛	49⅛-⅜	49⅜-½
Sept ...	48⅜	49⅛	48⅜	49	48⅝
OATS.					
March .	38	38	38	38	38⅛
May ...	39⅜-39¼	39⅜-¼	38⅞-½	38⅞-⅞	39⅛
July ...	37⅝-37⅞	37⅞	37⅜	37⅞-⅞	37⅝
Sept ...	31½-⅝-⅜	31⅞	31⅜	31⅜	31½-⅝
MESS PORK.					
May ...	12.97½	13.10	12.95	13.02½	12.92½
July ...	13.20	13.30	13.15	13.22½	13.12½
LARD.					
May ...	6.95	7.00	6.92½	6.97½	6.90
July ...	7.07½	7.12½	7.07½	7.10	7.05
SHORT RIBS.					
May ...	6.80	6.85	6.77½	6.85	6.77½
July ...	6.92½	7.00	6.92½	7.00	6.90

Price Range Elsewhere.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Closing Mr.24.	Closing Mr.23.
New York—					
May wheat	95⅝	97⅛	96	97	95⅝
July wheat	91⅝-¼	93	91⅝-¼	92¼-⅝	91⅜
May corn	57	57½	57	57½	56⅛
July corn	....	....	....	55	54⅝
Baltimore—					
May wheat	1.00	1.01	1.01	1.01	1.00
May corn	50¼-⅜	50⅜	50¼	50⅜	50¼-⅜
St. Louis—					
May wheat	92	93	92	93	91½
July wheat	81⅜-½	82⅝	81⅜	82⅝	81⅝
May corn	45½	45⅝	45½	45⅝	45⅛-¼
July corn	46⅜	47	46⅜-⅝	46⅜-¼	46⅛-⅜
Toledo—					
May wheat	96⅛	1.00	98⅛	1.00	98⅛
July wheat	87⅝	89⅛	87⅝	88⅞	87⅞
Kansas City—					
May wheat	82½	83½	82½	83⅞	82⅝
May corn	44⅝	44⅝-⅝	44⅛	44⅝-⅜	44⅛
Minneapolis—					
May wheat	94⅝	96⅛	94⅝	96⅛	95⅛
July wheat	94⅝	96⅛	94⅝	96⅛	95⅛
Duluth—					
May wheat	94⅝	95⅝	94⅝	95⅝	94⅝
July wheat	95	96⅛-⅝	95⅛	96⅛	95

Movements of Produce.

Receipts and shipments of flour, grain, and produce for the last twenty-four hours compared with last year, follow:

	Receipts 1904.	Receipts 1903.	Shipments 1904.	Shipments 1903.
Flour, brls	43,977	27,050	58,388	33,441
Wheat, bu	32,000	28,675	53,730	49,539
Corn, bu	198,700	115,350	128,290	253,546
Oats, bu	313,650	255,200	254,590	463,738
Rye, bu	4,000	28,500	14,545	6,900
Barley, bu	72,922	44,610	43,530	18,804
T. seed, lbs	116,385	108,860	282,980	369,600
C. seed, lbs	104,068	2,900	37,500	109,000
O. seed, lbs	176,000	40,000	596,550	31,600
F. seed, bu	3,600	13,419	......	3,256
C. meats, lbs	738,005	461,805	1,794,600	2,163,400
C. meats, c's	......	......	4,705	1,863
D. beef, lbs	665,301	762,725	4,453,850	4,568,686
Pork, brls	4	......	287	709
Lard, brls	92,525	80,610	979,280	1,608,000

GRAIN INSPECTION.

	No. 2 and better.	Standard.	No. 3.	Low grade.	Total.
Winter wheat.	1	..	1	5	7
Spring wheat.	..	..	..	7	7
Corn	10	..	52	76	138
Oats	5	9	71	38	123
Rye	..	..	1	..	1
Barley	..	..	..	19	19
Totals	16	9	125	145	295

Inspected out: Wheat—No. 2 red, 8,200 bu; No. 1 northern, 12,000 bu. Oats—Standard, 8,500 bu. Loaded from unlicensed elevators: Wheat—No. 2 hard, 1 car; No. 2 red, 1 car; No. 1 northern, 3 cars; No. 3 spring, 1 car; No. 4 spring, 9 cars. Corn—No. 3 yellow, 43 cars; No. 2 white, 1 car; No. 3 white, 7 cars; No. 2, 23 cars and 23,100 bu; No. 3, 52 cars; No. 4, 2 cars. Oats—No. 2, 12 cars; standard, 14 cars; No. 3 white, 9 cars; No. 3, 11 cars; No. 4, 2 cars; white clipped, 1 car.

Cash Produce Transactions.

FLOUR—Dull and shade easier; hard spring [favorite brands], $5.60; hard patents [in wood], $4.65@4.70; straight [export bags], $4.05@4.20; clear [export bags], $3.40@3.50; second clear [export bags], $3.00@3.10; soft winter patents [export bags], $4.80@5.00; straight, $4.50@4.70; clear, $4.25@4.40; Michigan winter patents, $4.90@5.00; clear [export bags], $4.25@4.40; rye flour, brls, $3.55@3.85; in sacks, $3.30@3.60.

BRAN—Market quiet and steady. Sales on track, $17.50.

WINTER WHEAT—Prices 1@2c higher. Sales in store and to go: 25,000 bu No. 2 red at 5c over May. Sales free on board: No. 4 red, 85c. Billed through: No. 4 hard, 75½@77c.

SPRING WHEAT—Good demand; 1@2c up. Sales in store and to go: 10,000 bu No. 1 northern at ¼c under May. Sales free on board: No. 4 spring, 67@82c; No. 3 spring, 95c.

CORN—Steady to 1c higher. Sales free on board: No. 4, 41@42½c; No. 3 yellow, 45@47c; No. 2, 51@51½c; No. 2 yellow, 52c; No. 3 white, 42½@45½c. Billed through: No. 4, 40@41½c; No. 3, 41½@42½c; No. 3 yellow, 43½@45c; No. 3 white, 41½c.

OATS—Steady to ½c higher. Sales in store and to go: 15,000 bu white clipped for shipment on p. t. Sales free on board: No. 4, 33@37½c; No. 4 white, 33@39c; No. 3, 38c; No. 3 white, 39@41½c; standard, 41@42c; No. 2, 39@39½c. Billed through: No. 4 white, 36@39½c; No. 3 white, 39½@40⅝c; standard, 40½@41½c. At river: No. 4 white, 32@38c; No. 3 white, 38½c.

RYE—No car lot sales reported.

BARLEY—Offerings light, market quiet and about steady. Sales free on board or switched, by sample: Screenings, 32c; barley, 38@49c. At the river, by sample, 38c.

PROVISION—Firmer, demand fair. Cash lots: Mess pork, $13.00@13.12½; lard, $6.90@6.82½; ribs, $6.62½@6.75, according to weight.

BEEF PRODUCTS—Quiet and steady. Prices quotable as follows: Beef hams, $18.25@18.50; extra mess beef, $8.50@9.00; plate beef, $8.75@9.00; extra plate beef, $9.50@10.00. Tallow—Steady, at 5½@5⅝c for edible; 5¼@5⅝c for prime packers; 4⅝@5c for No. 1 do, and 4@4¼ for No. 2 do; 5@5½c for city renderers; 5@5¼c for prime country, and 4@4¼c for No. 2 do. Oleo-stearine in fair supply and quotably steady at 6½@6⅝c.

GREASE—Quiet and steady at 3⅝@3⅞c for brown, 3⅞@4c for yellow; 4@4¼c for house, 4¼@4⅝c for B white, and 4⅞@5¼c for A white.

LARD OIL—Prime winter strained, 60c per gal f. o. b. Chicago.

COOPERAGE—Market quiet; buyers and sellers apart. Ash pork brls, $1.00@1.05; oak pork brls, $1.25@1.30; lard tcs, $1.45@1.50. No sales reported.

WHISKY—Steady at basis of $1.28 for finished goods.

HAY—Steady; demand fair. Receipts, 440 tons; shipments, 98 tons. Sales on track: Not graded timothy, $8.00@13.00; not graded prairie, Kansas, $9.00@11.00; Nebraska, $9.00@10.00. Free on board and switched—Not graded timothy, $9.50; not graded prairie, Nebraska, $10.00.

STRAW—Rye straw quotable at $8.50@9.50; wheat straw, at $6.50@7.00; and oat straw, $6.50@7.00. Sales on track: Tangled rye, $9.50@10.00; wheat, $7.00; oat, $7.00.

DOMESTIC PRODUCE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, March 24.—Wheat—Receipts, 55,575 bu; spot firmer; No. 2 red, $1.05 elevator; No. 2 red, $1.06@1.09 f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern, Duluth, $1.05 f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern, Manitoba, nominal f. o. b. afloat; options closed 1¼@1⅝c net higher; May, 96@97¼c, closed 97c; July, 91 3-16@92 15-16c, closed 92 9-16c; September, 84¼@85¼c, closed 85¼c.

Corn—Receipts, 44,075 bu; exports, 1,124 bu; spot dull; No. 2 nominal, elevator, 54¼c afloat; No. 2 yellow, 56c; No. 2 white, 54⅝c. Options closed ⅜c net higher; May closed 57¼c; July closed 55c.

Oats—Receipts, 79,500 bu; exports, 3,036 bu; spot dull; No. 2, 46½c; standard, white, 47c; No. 2 white, 47¼c; No. 3 white, 47c.

Cotton seed oil—Easy; prime yellow, 36c.

Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining, 3 1-16c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 9-16c; molasses sugar, 2 13-16c; refined firm; crushed, 5.35c; powdered, 4.75c; granulated, 4.65c.

Cotton—Spot closed steady, 50 points advance; middling uplands, 14.50c; middling gulf, 14.75c; sales, 800 bales. Futures closed steady; March, 13.86c; April, 13.86c; May, 14.06c; June, 14.19c; July, 14.25c; August, 13.71c; September, 12.44c; October, 11.70c; November, 11.56c; December, 11.55c.

Western Grain Markets.

DULUTH, Minn., March 24.—Close: Wheat—In store, No. 1 hard, 97⅛c; No. 1 northern, 95⅝c; No. 2 northern, 93⅛c; to arrive, No. 1 hard, 97⅛c; No. 1 northern, 95⅝c; No. 2 northern, 93⅛c; May, 95⅝c; July, 96⅛c; September, 83c. Flax—In store and to arrive and on track, $1.15; May, $1.16½; July, $1.18; October, $1.19. Oats—To arrive and on track, 38⅛c. Receipts—Wheat, 50,058 bu; shipments, wheat, 450 bu.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., March 24.—May wheat closed at 96⅛c; July, 96⅛c; September, 83⅛c; on track, No. 1 hard, 97⅝c; No. 1 northern, 96⅝c; to arrive, 96⅝c; No. 2 northern, 94c; to arrive, 94c; No. 3 wheat, 84@91c. Flour—First patents are now quotable at $5.15@5.25c; second patents, $5.00@5.10; first clears, $3.60@3.75; second clears, $2.65@2.75. Flax—Cash, $1.15; to arrive, $1.15; March, $1.15; May, $1.15. Bran—In bulk, $14.50.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 24.—Wheat—Higher; No. 2 cash, elevator, 99½c; track, $1.00@1.06; May, 93c; July, 82⅝c; No. 2 hard, 90@92c. Corn—Higher; No. 2 cash, 44½c; track, 45½c; May, 45⅝c; July, 46⅞@46⅞c. Oats—Firm; No. 2 cash, 40½c; track, 41@43c; May, 39c; No. 2 white, 46c. Lead—Dull, $4.40. Spelter—Dull, $4.80.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 24.—Wheat—May 83⅛c; July, 76⅞@77c; cash, No. 2 hard, 88@90c; No. 3, 85@87c; No. 2 red, $1.00; No. 3, 95@97c. Corn—May, 44⅝@44⅝c; July, 44c; cash, No. 2 mixed, 45@45½c; No. 3, 45c; No. 2 white, 45c; No. 3, 44½c. Oats—No. 2 white, 39@40c; No. 2 mixed, 38c. Receipts—Wheat, 32 cars.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 24.—Wheat—Steady; No. 1 northern, 99c; No. 2 northern, 96@97c; old, July, 88c. Rye—Steady; No. 1, 71½@72c. Barley—Dull; No. 2, 63c; sample, 38@59c. Oats—Steady; standard, 43c. Corn—Firm; No. 3, 46¼@47½c; July, 49⅝c.

TOLEDO, O., March 24.—Clover seed closed: Cash and March, $6.40 bid; April, $6.32½; October, $5.45. Prime alsike, $6.30. Prime timothy, $1.35.

PEORIA, Ill., March 24.—Corn—Steady; No. 3, 44c; No. 4, 42c. Whisky—On the basis of $1.28 for finished goods.

Foreign Produce Market.

LIVERPOOL, March 24.—Wheat—Spot dull; No. 1 California, 7s 1d; futures closed quiet; March, 6s 8d; May, 6s 7⅛d; July, 6s 7d. Corn—Spot firm; American mixed, new, 4s 2d; do old, 4s 7d; futures closed steady; March, 4s 1⅜d; May, 4s 3⅝d. Cotton—Spot in limited demand; prices steady, 20 points higher. American middling, fair, 8.10d; good middling, 7.94d; American middling, 7.84d; low middling, 7.74d; good ordinary, 7.64d; ordinary, 7.44d. Futures opened and closed, American middling, g. o. c., March, 7.59d; March and April, 7.56d; April and May, 7.53d; May and June, 7.51d; June and July, 7.49d; July and August, 7.45d; August and September, 7.25d; September and October, 6.55d; October and November, 6.23d; November and December, 6.13d.

INTERESTING TRADE GOSSIP ON 'CHANGE.

The official grain samplers do not propose without a protest to be legislated out of business, if that would be the effect of the adoption of the recommendation of the grain committee providing for one official sampler. A petition to the directors protesting against any change in the present order of things was circulated on the cash side and signed by a good many shippers. W. N. Eckhardt, a member of the grain committee, said of the proposed change: "I favor the proposal to place the samplers under the supervision of one head, first, because we will get more uniform and equitable service, and, second, because it will decrease the expense, and tend to eliminate a lot of losses suffered by the western shipper of grain to this market, and also make the system one recognized by buyers as a decided improvement over present methods. It seems to me that a bureau of samplers under the direction of the best man procurable, and responsible to the board of directors, a bureau run on the same general lines as the weighmaster's bureau under Foss, with the pick of the samplers under him, should give universal satisfaction to the trade. Of course, sampling is not as exactly determinable as the weighing of grain, but with a man at the head of the bureau who is decided upon as the most competent judge of grain, much greater uniformity of sampling will result than obtains at present. Some of the objections raised to this plan are based on the erroneous idea that the bureau will sample both for the buyer and the seller. As planned, it will not interfere with the work of the receiving agents, it will only be a department to which buyers who wish to have grain resampled can refer. The net profits of the samplers last year some estimate as high as $15,000. The year before they were about $12,000. This heavy cost to the trade could be reduced, I think, under the proposed change." Some of those who favor the new plan say there is too much competition among samplers at present, there being not enough business to go around comfortably, and that there is a tendency among them to cater to the desires of the man who is having the grain resampled to insure the getting of new business later. This condition, friends of the measure contend, will be obviated should the bureau be organized as proposed.

The Northwestern Miller says: "There was little change in the flour output last week; it was 1,025 brls smaller than in the week before. The quantity of flour turned out (week of March 19) was 331,935 brls, against 355,310 in 1903 and 317,640 in 1902. This week the mills, like those at outside points, will run only about half time. There were fifteen in operation today, but most of them will shut down either Wednesday evening or Thursday morning. The market is dull and the millers are doing as other sensible manufacturers do when unable to sell their products. The outlook is for an output this week of about 175,000 brls. The output for the same week in 1903 was 359,480 brls. Last week was a dull one with Minneapolis mills. The sales of flour were a great deal less than the output, and those made were practically all to domestic trade. Export business was hardly thought of. Kansas reports good rains over a greater part of the wheat belt, an appreciable benefit to the growing crop. In Michigan and the Ohio valley there has been too much rain and snow, and that the resultant floods have done a good deal of harm to the new wheat can scarcely be questioned, though the extent of it is problematical at the present time."

As to the wheat crop conditions in Indiana a Modern Miller correspondent says: "There is still talk of dead wheat and plowing up the fields. One farmer says that it is the first time in his experience that his wheat did not show up green after the snow that had protected it all winter disappeared. He is ready to plow his wheat up. A local miller advised him to wait, reminding him that this winter unusual conditions existed in that the ground was frozen hard before the winter's snow settled on it, and it remained frozen, making it impossible for the plant to grow under the snow as it usually does. Another farmer dug up a spadeful or two from his wheatfield, and put it in a warm, light corner of his house for a week, and on examining the roots, found them as dead as the top. Other farmers say they have found life in the roots. There are sections of the state where it has been found that such damage as the plant has sustained was done before the winter set in, mostly by fly."

While mills are reported closing down all over the country, millers seem to be anxious buyers of cash wheat in nearly all the markets. There were small sales here at advanced premiums, 20,000 bu No. 2 red at 5c over May in store, 10,000 bu No. 1 northern at ¼c under, and 15,000 bu at May price. St. Louis reported a sale of 50,000 bu No. 2 red to Detroit mills, and there was a sale of a cargo of No. 2 red from Toledo to Buffalo at $1.04 c. i. f. Buffalo, an advance of 1½c over offers made two days earlier. Duluth was trying to buy back cargoes sold to New York for spring shipment at an advance of ⅝c in two days. Milwaukee reported sales of 30,000 bu No. 2 hard winter at a fancy price. The cash news seemed strong enough to encourage a good deal of buying of futures. The local sample market was strong, and No. 2 red sold at $1.01, an advance of 2c.

The poorest corn, probably, which has come to this market on the crop was sold yesterday by E. W. Wagner at 16c. It is needless to say it passed as low grade. The corn was shipped from an Illinois station about ninety miles south. The shipper had been unable to get cars to forward it during cold weather, and when he did get the cars the corn was in such poor condition the road compelled him to guarantee the freight. The corn will pay the freight and a little more, but not much.

The Winnipeg warehouse commissioner has compiled statistics showing the amount of wheat in country elevators and in the farmers' hands. He estimates the quantity in country elevators as 9,000,000 bu. The amount in farmers' hands at 4,000,000 bu. He estimates 7,000,000 bu for farmers' requirements, according to which figures 3,000,000 bu will be needed by farmers above their reserves.

The Cincinnati Price Current says: "It has been a favorable week for wheat. Crop prospects are improving in the southwest, but still unpromising in the Ohio valley, and actual condition uncertain. Bad roads restricting interior grain movement. Land generally favorable for spring seeding."

Not enough wheat was exported yesterday to excite alarm over any real or imaginary danger of supplies in this country becoming exhausted by any foreign drain. There was not a bushel cleared from any port. But there were clearances, however, of 27,632 brls of flour, or the equivalent of 124,300 bu of wheat.

Premiums paid for the location of telephones were considerably larger than last year, the total footing up to $655.00, against about $250.00 at the last annual sale. Bartlett-Frazier paid the highest premium, $115.00, Kneeland-Clement-Curtis $100.00, and Floyd-Crawford $90.00.

The movement of corn is becoming light everywhere, due in part to the breaking up of country roads. There were only 23 cars at Peoria, against a daily consumption there of 63 cars. There has been a good movement in that section, and there are good supplies in elevators there.

A petition to close the board of trade Friday next, Good Friday, and the following Saturday was circulated on the floor. The New York coffee and cotton exchanges are to close both days, but it is not likely the grain exchanges will do more than close on Good Friday.

The carlots for today, as compiled by the grain inspectors, are: Wheat, 8 cars; corn, 104 cars; oats, 140 cars; rye, 1 car; barley, 13 cars. The hog estimate is 17,000 head.

Stocks of wheat at Minneapolis, it is estimated, increased 75,000 bu for five days.

IN THE NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, March 24.—The dry goods market is of small proportions and the outlook for any change not bright for the near future. The buyer is operating most conservatively on everything and is interested generally in spot goods for immediate delivery.

Metals—Tin was a little easier today. In London there was a decline of 12s 6d to £129 10s for spot and of 10s to £129 10s for futures. Locally, tin was about 5 points lower at $28.75@29.12½. Copper was firmer in London, spot being unchanged at £58, but futures were 2s 6d higher at £57 15s. Locally prices were a shade harder, with lake quoted at $12.87½@13.00; electrolytic, $12.75@12.87½, and casting at $12.62½@12.75. Lead advanced 1s 3d to £12 6s 3d in London, but was unchanged here at $4.65. Spelter advanced 2s 6d to £22 in London and was firm and unchanged here at $5.05@5.15. Iron closed at 52s 3d in Glasgow and at 43s 9d in Middlesboro. Locally iron is unchanged. No. 1 foundry is quoted at $15.00@15.50; No. 2 foundry, northern, at $14.50@15.00; No. 1 foundry, southern, and No. 1 foundry, southern soft, at $14.00@14.50.

Butter—Receipts, 4,396 pkgs. Irregular; extra fresh creamery, 24@24½c; creamery, common to choice, 15@23c; state dairy, 15@21c; held creamery, 14@20c. Philadelphia—Steady; fair demand; extra western creamery, 24½c; extra nearby prints, 28c.

Eggs—Receipts, 18,280 pkgs. Strong; state and Pennsylvania, nearby, average finest, 17½c; state and Pennsylvania firsts, 17c; western firsts, 17c. Philadelphia—Firm and ½c higher. Fresh nearby and fresh southwestern, 17c at the mark; fresh western, 17¼c do; fresh southern, 16½c do.

Poultry—Alive, steady; chickens, 12c; fowls, 14½c; turkeys, 15c. Dressed, firmly held; western chickens, 12@13c; fowls, western, 14c; turkeys, western, young hens, 16@17c.

Coffee—Spot Rio, steady; No. 7 invoice, 6⅝c; mild, steady. Futures closed firm at net advance of 5 to 10 points.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Cattle Values Steady to Weak—Hogs Rule Higher and Sheep Prices Are Firm.

Moderate supplies arrived for Thursday's market. The estimates were 7,500 cattle, 17,000 hogs, and 13,000 sheep. The market on cattle was steady to weak. Hogs ruled 5c to 10c higher. Sheep were steady to strong. Heavy lambs were weak.

Following is a statement of the movement of live stock at the Chicago stockyards for the period indicated, with comparative figures:

Receipts—	Cattle.	Calves.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Thursday, March 17	6,313	823	29,912	21,131
Friday, March 18	1,742	163	21,958	5,544
Saturday, March 19	314	108	12,957	2,938
Monday, March 21	26,469	395	38,536	26,820
Tuesday, March 22	3,126	2,412	7,914	13,000
Wednesday, March 23	16,576	1,085	19,943	18,273
Thursday, March 24	7,500	800	17,000	13,000
Four days this week	53,671	4,695	83,393	78,102
Four days last week	65,921	3,774	113,186	78,028
Four days last year	61,217	3,771	86,586	54,777
Official last week	57,549	3,900	122,842	79,908
Official year ago	55,862	4,364	123,541	66,491
Shipments—				
Week ago yesterday	6,890	15	12,856	5,057
Wednesday	5,122	20	7,180	3,903
Yesterday	3,000	15	6,000	4,000
Four days this week	18,266	59	33,513	18,980
Four days last week	23,832	77	44,892	20,821
Four days last year	18,611	44	20,980	6,262
Official last week	27,392	196	47,312	21,365
Official year ago	20,795	154	36,350	11,119

The total receipts at the Chicago stockyards for 1904 to date, including yesterday's estimates, as compared with the corresponding period of 1903, are as follows:

	1904.	1903.	Inc.	Dec.
Cattle	759,889	716,123	43,766	....
Hogs	2,154,671	1,893,600	260,971	....
Sheep	1,074,861	903,273	171,588	....
Horses	34,972	35,804	....	832
Cars	73,668	68,286	5,382	....

PACKERS' PURCHASES.

Armour	800	Butchers	1,200
Anglo-American	800	Shippers	9,000
Morris	1,000		
Swift	1,500	Total	15,100
S. & S.	800	Left	2,500

Cattle.

During the early hours of the forenoon there was a strong demand for fat cattle, but by noon it developed that the strength of the market was furnished by the shipping trade, local slaughterers refusing to support any strength to the market. After the shipping orders were filled there was a decided tone of weakness to the trade and late sellers could not get within 10c of early prices. Quotations:

Good to prime steers	$5.40@5.75
Poor to medium	3.75@5.25
Stockers and feeders	2.50@4.30
Cows	1.85@4.25
Heifers	2.25@4.75
Canners	1.50@2.50
Bulls	2.25@4.00
Calves	3.00@6.25

Hogs.

As has been the case all week, the shipping demand was the principal support of the hog market, the packers continuing to show a bearish front. Receipts were extremely moderate for this time of the week, and with a shipping demand which called for more than half of the receipts the trade ruled strong, with prices 5@10c higher. Quotations:

Mixed and butchers'	$5.35@5.52½
Good to choice heavy	5.40@5.55
Rough heavy	5.25@5.40
Light	5.00@5.40
Bulk of sales	5.30@5.45

Sheep.

There was a good demand for fat, heavy sheep and the good quality light to medium weight lambs, but the demand for heavy lambs was oversupplied and prices inclined to weakness. Choice heavy export wethers sold up to $5.30, and top lambs at $5.90. Quotations:

Good to prime lambs	$5.50@5.90
Western yearlings	4.75@5.25
Western wethers	4.25@5.30
Western ewes	3.40@5.10
Native ewes	3.50@4.75
Native wethers	4.50@5.00

Live Stock Markets Elsewhere.

NEW YORK, March 24.—Beeves—Receipts, none. Dressed beef, unchanged at 6½@8¼c lb. No later cable advices. Calves—Receipts, 591. Trade slow and prices steady. Veals sold at $4.00@7.70 per 100 lbs; tops, at $8.00. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 5,546. Prime and choice lambs steady, others slow and 10c lower. Fair to choice lambs, $6.00@6.65. Hogs—Receipts, 3,878; 10c@15c higher. Prime state, $5.85@5.95.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 24.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,200, including 150 southerns. Strong to 10c higher. Export and dressed beef steers, $4.60@5.35; native cows, $2.00@4.00; native heifers, $3.50@4.60; calves, $3.00@6.50. Hogs—Receipts, 4,800. Steady to 10c higher. Closed weak. Top, $5.27½. Sheep—Receipts, 3,000. Strong. Native lambs, $5.25@4.75; yearlings, $4.60@5.20.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 24.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,500, including 50 Texans. Steady. Native shipping and export steers, $4.10@5.25; cows and heifers, $2.25@4.15; calves, $4.00@6.25. Hogs—Receipts, 4,500. Strong. Best heavy, $5.30@5.50. Sheep—Receipts, 500. Firm. Native muttons, $4.00@4.60; lambs, $4.75@5.50.

EGGS ONE-HALF CENT HIGHER.

Despite Heavy Receipts Prices Are Advanced—Quality of Strawberries Averages Better.

Although arrivals of eggs the last four days have been 12,000 cases larger than last week and 6,500 over last year at this time, sales were made at a ½c advance. The strength of the market was a surprise, but demand from retailers and shippers and for storage purposes has kept pace with the increase in offerings even at the recent rally from the extreme break in prices. There was a better tone in the strawberry market, receipts being of more desirable quality, and therefore in better demand. Offerings of Louisiana greeen vegetables were larger. Quotations were as follows:

DAIRY PRODUCTS.

Eggs, extra, 30 per cent fresh	17½c	Butter, creamery, extras	24c
Do prime firsts	16¾c	Firsts	19@20c
Do at mark, general receipts, cases included	16@16¼c	Seconds	14@16c
Do shipping, cases	16c	Dairies, Cooley's	21c
		Do firsts	16@17c
		Packing stock	8@13½c
		Cheese, twins	10½c

FRUIT.

Oranges, California, new navels	$1.65@2.35	Cranberries, brl	$4.00@7.00
Do Florida	$2.50@3.75	Strawberries, per qt	15@20c
Apples, good to choice	$2.50@3.75	Do 24 qt cases	$1.00@2.25
Do fair	$1.25@2.00	Bananas, per bunch	50c@$1.75
Lemons, Cal.	$1.75@2.75	Pineapples, case, Cavennes	$2.50@4.50

POULTRY.

Live turkeys	12c	Dressed chickens, hens	12@12½c
Live chickens, hens	13c	Do spring	12@12½c
Spring chickens, lb	13c	Dressed ducks	11@14c
Fresh dressed turkeys	15@16½c	Capons, dressed	16@17c
Dressed geese	8@10c		

GAME.

Snipe, jack, per doz.	$1.25	Rabbits	50@60c
Plover, yellow legs	$1.00	Jack, large, white	$2.00
Golden	$1.25	Jack, gray	$1.00@1.25

VEGETABLES.

Beets, brls, Louisiana	$2.00@5.50	Cabbage, per ton, Holland	$40.00@45.00
Do ½ bu	$1.00@1.15	Celery, per bunch, California	40c@$1.00
Beans, navy, hand picked	$1.85@1.88	Lettuce, heads, brls	$2.00@2.50
Cauliflower, California, brls	$1.50@2.35	Do leaf, case	40@42½c
Potatoes, bu	84@96c	Spinach, brls	$2.00@2.50
Do sweet, brls	$1.75@3.40	Squash, cases	$1.50@1.75
Radishes, doz	25@50c	Tomatoes, Florida, 6 basket cases	$2.50@3.25
Onions, sacks, 70 lbs	$1.35@1.50	Turnips, 1½ bu	$1.50@2.50
Do Havana, boxes	$2.50@3.00	Cucumbers, doz	50c@$1.10
Popcorn	75c@$1.50	String beans, Florida, bu	$2.50@6.25
Carrots, brls, Louisiana	$5.00@7.00		

Receipts and shipments of produce for the last twenty-four hours, as compared with last year:

Articles.	Receipts 1904.	Receipts 1903.	Shipments 1904.	Shipments 1903.
Apples, brls	1,377	360	225	605
Beans, bu	881	......	1,291	1,000
B. corn, lbs	115,500	18,000	205,900	86,900
Butter, lbs	370,145	408,460	712,345	619,950
Cheese, lbs	171,275	127,284	202,146	257,290
D. fruits, lbs	241,940	30,600	123,910	......
Eggs, cases	11,995	11,142	9,289	11,947
Game, pkgs	2	......	......	......
Hay, tons	440	661	98	21
Hides, lbs	411,007	131,060	740,240	549,470
Hops, lbs	7,015	20,000	1,060	16,790
Potatoes, bu	17,014	85,778	8,537	1,308
Poultry, lbs	67,500	67,200	37,250	4,785
Poultry, c'ps	19	42	......	......
Wool, lbs	33,213	......	123,400	176,900

RISE DUE TO GOOD BUYING

NORTHERN SECURITIES-UNION PACIFIC INTERESTS ACT.

Intention to Accumulate These Issues for Reasons of Their Own Started a Genuine Advance, Which Stirred the Shorts and Awakened the Pools—Chicago Has Small Part in the Movement—Statement of Canadian Banks—Dividends Declared.

What appears to be the best opinion that has yet come out of New York as to the basis of the present upward movement, is that it started with genuine buying in Northern Securities and Union Pacific by those immediately interested in the properties named. Just what the values would be in the event of an adverse decision had been previously figured out, and as an adverse decision had been expected, the buying began as soon as it was believed the opinion would be rendered. This was half an hour before the public reading of the finding. The reasons for the buying of Northern Securities and Union Pacific lay in knowledge of values to be distributed, together with other allied features.

With the actual buying of the stocks named there followed a frightening of a large short interest and a concurrent awakening of pools. The machinery once started in genuine fashion it was easily operated to the discomfort of the shorts in the general list, where the motive for buying was one of speculative origin.

Some reflection will suggest that the pools and shorts were easily followers of the inside movement. Those not immediately concerned in Northern Securities and Union Pacific, and consequently not having an adequate knowledge of what the decision meant, would not see in it the bull card which it actually proved to be. General expectation was that prices would be demoralized because of the suggestion of the trouble which the government could make for other properties. That an aggressive course would be pursued was, however, at once denied by the attorney general's office, and by this time the frightened short interest was willing to accept any species of good news as a reason for covering.

Future Market Uncertain.

Advices from a few Chicagoans in Wall street, whose connections are extremely good, indicate that the general banking interests in the street were not consulted in the present movement. It simply began by persons who, for reasons of their own, wanted certain securities, and were not looking for assistance in bidding them up. The continuance of the bull market is, therefore, a matter of conjecture. One important interest telegraphed its uncertainty as to the immediate future course of prices, and felt that a dull market might now be expected.

So far as Chicago commission houses are concerned, their buying on Wednesday and yesterday indicated some return of the public, though such buying was of a tentative and uncertain character. Whatever of positive purchases there were resulted from the vigorous buying of shorts. This over, there was found to be "nibbling" by small bulls who had stood off and watched the rise.

The business for two days encouraged some of the commission houses to believe there might be, for some little time, a broader market, probably of the scalping variety. In other quarters the belief was less sanguine. Summed up as a whole, Chicago must be characterized as uncertain. Its trading in the market has been wholly incommensurate with the total volume of transactions. In no instance, it may be added, have New York correspondents of local commission houses given their western connections any information or advice worth mentioning.

Canadian Banks in February.

Canadian bank returns for February show an increase in current loans in Canada, the expansion for the month amounting to over $4,870,000. They now stand at $389,627,686, as compared with $331,646,200 a year ago. Current loans out of Canada have fallen during the year from $32,118,508 to $17,995,796. Call loans in Canada decreased during the year by $2,500,000, and call loans out of Canada fell by $4,200,000. Aggregate capital paid in increased in the twelve months from $73,591,509 to $78,701,542, and reserves from $45,023,697 to $50,752,405. Comparisons for January and February, 1904, follow:

LIABILITIES.	February, 1904.	January, 1904.
Paid up capital	$78,701,542	$78,625,580
Reserve	50,752,405	50,653,096
Circulation	57,736,243	56,978,273
Deposits on demand	107,706,725	107,323,255
Deposits on notice	289,547,284	287,248,914
Deposits out of Canada	38,287,160	37,360,337
Due British banks	3,861,423	3,086,784
Due foreign banks	904,828	1,496,014
Other liabilities	21,183,321	22,706,935
Totals	$519,287,061	$516,184,538
ASSETS.		
Specie	$15,934,688	$15,821,603
Dominion notes	31,259,920	31,277,656
Security for circulation	3,130,844	3,130,844
Due from British banks	4,139,291	8,861,544
Due from foreign banks	11,088,353	13,467,473
Governm't securities, etc.	63,323,012	63,038,524
Call loans in Canada	38,109,805	38,149,737
Call loans out of Canada	40,395,339	36,433,662
Current loans in Canada	389,627,686	384,754,452
Cur. loans out of Canada	17,995,796	18,048,983
Other assets	43,995,241	41,571,325
Total assets	$659,000,158	$654,545,980

Dividends Declared.

Directors of the American Shipbuilding company declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent on preferred stock, payable April 15. Books close April 5 and reopen April 16.

The Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroad company declared a regular quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent, payable April 1. Books close March 26 and reopen April 4.

The Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific railway has declared a dividend of 3 per cent, payable April 6. Books close April 4 and reopen April 7.

The Cunard Steamship company yesterday declared an annual dividend of 4 per cent on ordinary shares of the company.

The Distillers' Securities corporation has declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1 per cent, payable April 6. Books close April 5 and reopen April 7.

The Washington Trust company of Washington, D. C., has declared a quarterly dividend of 3 per cent, payable April 1. Books close March 26 and reopen April 5.

The Mercantile Trust company will pay the coupon due April 1 from the 5 per cent bonds of the Distillers' Securities corporation.

The Garfield National bank of New York has declared a quarterly dividend of 3 per cent, payable March 31.

Depositors of the Bolivar National bank of Pittsburg, which was closed last autumn, have just received a dividend of 30 per cent.

Bond News.

Wood county, O., has awarded $50,000 5 per cent three year average highway improvement bonds to the Toledo Savings bank at 102.35, a basis of 4.15 per cent.

Gibson county, Ind., has awarded $123,200 4½ per cent ten year road improvement bonds to Rudolph Kleybolte & Co. at 101.64, a basis of 4.29 per cent.

The $545,000 Reading, Pa., 3½ per cent improvement bonds have been withdrawn from the market owing to the failure of the public subscription plan and offered as 4 per cents.

Only one bid was received by the courthouse building commissioners for the $500,000 3½ per cent one to fifteen year serial courthouse bonds of Onondaga county, N. Y. The bid was made by the Onondaga County Savings bank of Syracuse, the institution bidding par and accrued interest for $100,000 of the bonds.

Railway Earnings.

	Earnings.	Increase.
CENTRAL RAILROAD OF NEW JERSEY.		
February gross	$1,563,502	*$67,030
Operating expenses	937,776	*1,873
Net	615,726	*65,156
Fixed charges and taxes	517,172	19,458
Surplus	98,554	*84,613
From July 1—		
Gross	14,233,077	2,216,299
Operating expenses	7,930,778	566,954
Net	6,302,299	1,649,345
Fixed charges and taxes	4,082,034	451,489
Surplus	2,220,264	1,197,850
ANN ARBOR.		
Third week in March	32,486	*10,109
From July 1	1,405,006	1,035
PACIFIC COAST COMPANY.		
January gross	406,061	13,697
Operating expenses	356,641	29,661
Net	49,420	*15,964
From July 1—		
Gross	3,503,784	188,618
Operating expenses	2,823,165	149,109
Net	680,619	29,509
ALABAMA GREAT SOUTHERN.		
Second week in March	53,377	7,079
From July 1	2,182,834	314,539
CINCINNATI, NEW ORLEANS AND TEXAS PACIFIC.		
Second week in March	119,320	10,234
From July 1	4,702,861	635,155
TOLEDO AND OHIO CENTRAL.		
Third week in March	64,086	4,391
From July 1	2,652,135	369,823
TWIN CITY RAPID TRANSIT.		
Second week in March	74,330	2,731
From July 1	789,717	56,620
WABASH.		
Third week in March	400,062	5,590
From July 1	16,728,274	1,541,978
BUFFALO, ROCHESTER AND PITTSBURG.		
Third week in March	142,342	2,847
From July 1	5,412,623	158,417

*Decrease.

New York Curb Quotations.

Following were closing quotations on the New York curb for the securities named:

Name.	Bid.	Asked.
American can	4¼	4⅝
American Can pfd	36⅝	37
American Light and Traction	45	49
American Light and Traction pfd	87	90
American Writing Paper	2⅝	3
American Writing Paper pfd	12	12⅝
American Writing Paper 5s	69½	70½
Con. Ry., Light and Ref.	3⅛	3⅝
Electric Boat	20	25
Electric Boat pfd	52	58
Electric Vehicle	7	8
Electric Vehicle pfd	10	11
Havana Tobacco	29	31
Havana Tobacco pfd	35	40
Int. Mercantile Marine, com	4⅞	5¼
Int. Mercantile Marine pfd	18½	19
Manhattan Transit	1⅝	1⅞
N. Y. El. Veh. Trans	15	15½
Northern Securities	98¼	98½
Otis Elevator	30	34
Otis Elevator pfd	89	.....
Royal Baking Powder pfd	99	101
Seaboard Air Line	9⅝	10
Seaboard Air Line pfd	16⅝	17
Standard Oil	620	625
St. Louis Transit	12¼	13
St. Louis Transit pfd	55	56

Foreign Exchange Prices.

Foreign exchange closed steady in Chicago yesterday at the following quotations:

SELLING.	
Cables	487⅞
Checks, London	487½
Checks, Paris	515⅝
Checks, Berlin	95⅝
BUYING.	
60 days, London, bankers'	484
60 days, documentary	484
3 days, Hamburg	95 3-16
3 days, Antwerp	518⅜
60 days, Holland	39 15-16
60 days, France	520⅝
3 days, Holland	40 3-16

Rock Island.

It is said that a capitalist associated with the controlling interest in the Rock Island, recently visited certain New York bankers with a view of obtaining a loan of something less than $5,000,000 for the company. He offered excellent collateral, and every condition connected with the proposition was so reassuring and satisfactory that the bankers at once offered to advance the money at 5 per cent.

The Rock Island representative, according to the Wall Street Journal, declined to pay such a rate, saying his company was in a position that it could get money on much easier terms. The bankers urged that certain roads, whose credit is of the highest, not long ago paid 5 per cent for similar loans. But to this the only reply was: "Rock Island does not have to."

The bankers gave assurances that if no better terms could be made on behalf of the company their offer would still be open, but the representative of the road said he stood ready to advance the money, himself at 4¼ per cent. This he did, so the story runs, and certain bankers have since been favorably impressed with the interest which the group in control of Rock Island takes in its property.

General Financial News.

The plant of the Eastern Tube company at Zanesville, O., has been sold to Edward Nugent of New York for $170,000. The plant was built three years ago at a cost of $600,000, and after running two years went into the hands of receivers. Nugent represents the Ohio Tube company, organized in New Jersey a few weeks ago.

It is announced the Pennsylvania railroad has placed a contract for 50,000 tons of rails and bars. It is reported the order has been divided among the following mills: Pennsylvania Steel company, Cambria Steel company, Lackawanna Steel company, and the Carnegie Steel company.

The old rumor of a consolidation of the Sloss-Sheffield steel interests, the Tennessee Coal and Iron, and the Republic Iron and Steel company is again revived. Nothing more circumstantial is presented than has previously been announced.

According to Wall street gossip the relative strength of American Sugar Refining stock has been based to a considerable extent on the presentation of the facts in the sugar rate war. The demonstration of how the reduction in rates on sugar by roads terminating at New Orleans has enabled the American Sugar Refining company to operate its plants to full capacity and sell every pound of its output throughout the zone extending northward through Iowa, Illinois, and Wisconsin points is regarded as a bull argument on the resourcefulness of the Havemeyer management.

Since last Friday the subtreasury has gained $740,000 from the New York banks.

The New Hampshire and Hudson River railroad has applied to the New York stock exchange to list $1,098,000 additional capital stock. The Central of Georgia railway has applied to list $150,000 additional Chattanooga division purchase money mortgage 4 per cent bonds of 1951.

Railway Exchange Popular.

Finley Barrell & Co. will open a branch office on the ground floor of the Railway Exchange building about April 1.

Charles G. Gates & Co. have the office at the southeast corner of the building. Both commission houses do a large business, having extensive facilities for trading. Evidently it is expected that the tenants of the Railway Exchange building will prove profitable customers in the securities market.

A. O. Slaughter Jr. & Co. will increase their quarters by moving to the southeast room on the ground floor of the New York Life building on Adams street.

Traction Stocks.

The street railroad stocks have grown inactive on the local exchange. While sentiment in Union Traction and underlying stock has greatly improved, still not until the decision in the ninety-nine year case shall have been delivered will there be actual certainty as to the steps to be taken. It is understood insiders have pretty well outlined what they intend doing. But as was the case with the insiders in Northern Securities, final steps were not taken until the decision was actually published. It is to be said, however, that the greatest confidence is displayed by Union Traction interests in the final outcome of court proceedings. A decision is expected some time in April.

American Can shares were moderately active though the buying was without significance.

Diamond Match stock continues firm. It is now selling at 129½, although it has been ex-dividend 2½ per cent but a short time.

Biscuit common touched 45. The New York market has been firm for the stock for several days. Swift sold off easily to 100½.

Sales on the Chicago stock exchange yesterday were as follows:

	Shares.	Opng.	High.	Low.	Close.
American Can	550	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝
Do pfd	300	37	37	37	37
Am. Radiator pfd	4	116	116	116	116
Chi. Telephone	55	118	118	118	118
Chicago Title & T.	10	89	89	89	89
Diamond Match	130	129¼	129½	129⅜	129½
Illinois Brick	310	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝
Met. Elevated	50	16½	16½	16½	16½
National Biscuit	836	44½	45	44½	44½
Do pfd	2	104½	104½	104½	104½
National Carbon	200	29	29½	29	29½
N. W. Elev. pfd	106	45	45	45	45
Street's Stable Car	100	28⅝	28⅝	28⅝	28⅝
Swift & Co.	150	100½	100½	100½	100½
United Boxboard	60	2½	2½	2½	2½

BONDS.

$2,000 Chicago Edison 5s....103	$3,000 Metropolitan El. gold 4s.. 93½

Clearings in Chicago yesterday were $26,172,071, and a week ago $28,468,537.

New York exhange sold yesterday in Chicago at 10c premium.

Local interest rates, collateral loans, 4½@5 per cent; commercial paper, 4½@5½ per cent.

IN THE BOSTON MONEY MARKET.

BOSTON, Mass., March 24.—[Special.]—The strength shown by the local Coppers late yesterday afternoon was continued in the morning trading today, when Amalgamated sold up across 50 and Copper Range across 44, with other shares showing sympathtic activity and strength. The market quieted down in the afternoon and prices slid off fractionally from the highest, but the undertone held firm. Investment railroads and telephone were fairly firm. Call loans, 2½@3 per cent; time loans, collateral, 3@4 per cent; time loans, mercantile paper, 4@4½ per cent; clearing house loans, 2½ per cent.

Description.	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Amal. Copper	10,500	48⅝	50	48⅜	48⅝
Adventure	250	2½	2½	2½	2½
Allouez	311	4	4½	4	4
Atlantic	150	8	8¼	8	8¼
Amer. Tel.	600	125	125¼	124¼	124¼
Atchison	775	70⅝	70½	69	69
Do pfd	31	90	90½	90	90½
Amer. Sugar	1,275	127¼	127½	125½	125½
Do pfd	25	125	125½	125	125½
Amer. Pneumatic	2	3½	3½	3½	3½
Do pfd	50	18	18	18	18
Agri. Chem.	450	14	14⅝	14	14¼
Amer. Woolen	275	11	11	11	[illegible]
Do pfd	545	76	76⅝	[illegible]	[illegible]
Bingham	1,800	20	20⅝	[illegible]	[illegible]
Copper Range	6,250	43	44⅝	[illegible]	[illegible]
Calumet	58	454	460	[illegible]	[illegible]
Centennial	1,650	18¼	19⅝	[illegible]	[illegible]
Daly West	755	29	30⅞	[illegible]	[illegible]
Dominion Steel	100	8⅞	9	[illegible]	[illegible]
Dominion Coal	20	59	59	[illegible]	[illegible]
Edison Electric	10	235	235	[illegible]	[illegible]
Guanajuato	800	1	1 1-16	[illegible]	[illegible]
General Electric	8	167	167	[illegible]	[illegible]
Georgia Electric	50	37⅝	37⅝	[illegible]	[illegible]
Do pfd	80	76	76⅝	[illegible]	[illegible]
Mass. Mining	290	4	4⅝	[illegible]	[illegible]
Mohawk	870	33	33⅝	[illegible]	[illegible]
Michigan	105	5	5¼	[illegible]	[illegible]
Mass. Electric	155	19⅝	19⅝	[illegible]	[illegible]
Do pfd	61	73	73	[illegible]	[illegible]
Mass. Gas	263	39⅝	39⅝	[illegible]	[illegible]
Do pfd	12	78⅝	78⅝	[illegible]	[illegible]
N. Eng. Tel.	91	119	119	[illegible]	[illegible]
Osceola	135	58½	60	[illegible]	[illegible]
Old Dominion	160	9⅝	9⅞	[illegible]	[illegible]
Old Colony	12	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Parrot	605	25	26	[illegible]	[illegible]
Phoenix	20	1⅝	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Pere Marquette	200	75	75	[illegible]	[illegible]
Shannon	1,350	8	8⅝	[illegible]	[illegible]
Santa Fe	100	1⅞	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Swift & Co.	20	101¼	101¼	[illegible]	[illegible]
Trinity	530	4½	4⅝	[illegible]	[illegible]
Tamarack	35	98	98	[illegible]	[illegible]
Un. Shoe Mchy.	45	46	46⅝	[illegible]	[illegible]
Do pfd	33	28⅝	28⅝	[illegible]	[illegible]
Utah	2,085	34	34⅝	[illegible]	[illegible]
U. S. Mining	1,360	21⅝	21⅝	[illegible]	[illegible]
Un. Fruit	2	99	99	[illegible]	[illegible]
U. S. Coal & Oil	350	9⅝	9⅝	[illegible]	[illegible]
Union Pacific	650	82⅝	82⅝	[illegible]	[illegible]
Do pfd	7	90⅝	90⅝	[illegible]	[illegible]
Victoria	135	3⅝	3⅝	[illegible]	[illegible]
Winona	400	6⅝	6⅝	[illegible]	[illegible]
Wolverine	20	71½	71½	[illegible]	[illegible]
Wyandot	100	75	75½	[illegible]	[illegible]

BONDS.

$2,000 Atch 4s ... 98¾	$1,000 Dom Coal [illegible]
2,000 Amer Bell 4s 98⅝	2,000 KMB inc [illegible]
14,000 Am Tel 4s 91⅛@91¾	3,000 NE Cot Y [illegible]
5,000 CB-Q joint 92⅝-⅞	1,000 Un Fruit [illegible]
2,000 C Vt 4s ... 81	

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PROPOSALS FOR WOOD AND COAL—Chief Quartermaster's Office, Chicago, Ill., March [illegible], 1904. Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received here and at offices of quartermasters at posts named, until 11 o'clock a. m. Monday, April 25, 1904, for furnishing wood and coal during the year commencing July 1, 1904, at Forts [illegible], Wayne, Mich., Columbus Barracks, Ohio, Fort Sheridan and Chicago, Illinois, and Fort Thomas, Kentucky. U. S. reserves right to accept or reject any or all proposals or any part thereof. Information furnished on application here, or to quartermasters of posts named. Envelopes containing proposals should be endorsed "Proposals for Fuel," and addressed to quartermasters of posts named, or to Lieut. Col. W. H. MILLER, Chief Quartermaster.

PROPOSALS FOR PRINTING—CHIEF QUARTERMASTER'S Office, 415 Pullman Building, Chicago, Ills., February 25, 1904.—Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received at this office until 11 o'clock, a. m., Saturday, March 26, 1904, for [illegible] printing and materials therefor as may be required by Headquarters Department of the Lakes, Chicago, Ills., during the fiscal year commencing July 1, 1904. U. S. reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Particulars and the prescribed blank form for proposals for printing will be furnished on application to LIEUT.-COL. W. H. MILLER, Chief Quartermaster.

PROPOSALS FOR POLO PONIES. QUARTERMASTER General's Office, Washington, D. C., March 23, 1904. Sealed proposals in triplicate will be received here until 12 o'clock noon, April [illegible], 1904, and then opened, for furnishing [illegible] trained polo ponies of the highest grade. U. S. reserves the right to reject any or all bids, or any part thereof. Information and specifications furnished on application. Envelopes containing bids to be marked "Proposals for Polo Ponies," and addressed to Major J. B. ALESHIRE, Quartermaster.

IN THE FOREIGN MONEY MARKET.

LONDON, March 24.—Money was in active demand today and discounts were steady. Business on the stock exchange was quiet and nearly featureless, the operations being principally devoted to preliminaries in connection with the mining contangos. Consols recovered a fraction, but subsequently eased on lack of support. Americans opened dull, but rallied later. Union Pacific, Southern Railway, and Southern Pacific were animated at first, but relapsed and closed dull. The stock exchange will be closed on Friday, April 1, Saturday, April 2, and Monday, April 4. Closing stocks:

Consols for money	85¾	Norfolk & W.	[illegible]
Do act	86	Do pfd	[illegible]
Anaconda	3⅜	Ont. & West.	[illegible]
Atchison pfd	72⅞	Pennsylvania	[illegible]
B. & O.	93⅛	Rand Mines	[illegible]
Canadian Pac	82	Reading	[illegible]
Ches. & Ohio	118⅞	Do 1st pfd	[illegible]
Chi. Gt. West	33⅞	Do 2d pfd	[illegible]
C., M. & St. P	15¾	Southern Ry	[illegible]
De Beers	150½	Do pfd	[illegible]
Denver & Rio. G.	21⅝	Southern Pac	[illegible]
Do pfd	71¼	Union Pacific	[illegible]
Erie	28¼	Do pfd	[illegible]
Do 1st pfd	66⅝	U. S. Steel	[illegible]
Do 2d pfd	44½	Do pfd	[illegible]
Illinois Central	133	Wabash	[illegible]
L. & N.	100¼	Do pfd	[illegible]
Mo., Kas. & Tex	18⅝	Spanish 4s	[illegible]
N. Y. Central	120		

Bar silver steady, 25 10-16d per oz. Money, 3[illegible] per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 3 1-16 per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for 3 months bills is 3 1-16 per cent.

The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes:

Total reserve decreased	£[illegible]
Circulation increased	[illegible]
Bullion increased	[illegible]
Other securities increased	[illegible]
Other deposits decreased	[illegible]
Public deposits increased	[illegible]
Notes reserve decreased	[illegible]

Government securities unchanged. The proportion of the Bank of England's reserve to liability, which last week was 50.55, is now 49.27 per cent. The rate of discount of the Bank of England was unchanged at 4 per cent.

PARIS, March 24.—Trading on the bourse today was dull throughout. Russian imperial 4s closed at 4.70. The private rate of discount was 2⅝ per cent.

BERLIN, March 24.—Prices on the bourse today were depressed.

Oil and Oil Certificates.

OIL CITY, Pa., March 24.—Credit balances, $1.71; certificates, no bid. Shipments, 40,26[illegible]; average, 65,316; runs, 103,320; average, 74,[illegible]; Shipments, Lima, 57,442; average, 67,422; runs, Lima, 67,471; average, 73,294.

EIGHTEEN FLOUR MILLS IDLE.

Minneapolis Plants Shut Down and One Thousand Persons Are Out of Work in Consequence.

Minneapolis, Minn., March 24.—Eighteen Minneapolis flour mills shut down this morning indefinitely owing to the poor condition of the flour trade. A thousand persons are out of work. The shutdown is far more sweeping than had been looked for. At the offices of the two firms it is confidently stated that the mills will resume grinding the early part of next week. A few may be started on Monday.

TRADERS IN DOUBT ON MERGER PLAN.

Sudden Buying of Union Pacific and Other Issues Attributed to Redistribution.

NEW ALLIANCE IS DENIED.

Volume of Business Lighter than on Preceding Day—Demand for London Account.

[BY A SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.]

NEW YORK, March 24.—[Special.]—Perplexity over the developments following the Northern Securities plan of redistribution was reflected in today's stock market. The program offers no reason on its face for the sudden advance of more than 8 points in Union Pacific and for the sweeping up of 400,000 shares of the stock in a single day. Neither does the explanation of an uncovered short interest serve to explain satisfactorily the sudden buying of various stocks in such volume as has been seen this week. Yet the buying was indubitable and the speculative world is considerably bewildered by it.

"You may deny most emphatically that a new Northern Securities company is being planned. We are doing our best to carry out the principles of the Supreme court's decision," said Col. Clough, vice president and general counsel of the company today.

This statement was made in response to rumors circulated in Wall street that a plan had been formulated by which Northern Pacific stock would be held in blank and not distributed. In spite of official denials the attitude of some of the principals indicates that differences exist between the Union Pacific and Hill-Morgan interests. It is thought the differences hinge largely on doubt as to the legality of the dissolution plan.

The volume of business was smaller than on the two preceding days. There was an important demand for London account, showing the uneasiness of uncovered bears on Americans in that market.

The continued activity in the curb market for Northern Pacific and Great Northern preferred carried them sharply downwards. Great Northern preferred on the exchange dropped over seven points, leaving a wide breach in the valuation placed on the stock for purposes of distribution of Northern Securities assets. Further rains in the winter wheat belt were of no help to stocks in face of the rise in the price of wheat futures. Conditions still further approached the gold export point without affecting the money market. Southern Railway's funding of $15,000,000 of obligations into five year bonds hurt the stock. The weight of realizing gained force and carried prices down to the lowest at the closing, which was weak. Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value, $1,910,000. United States 2s coupon advanced ⅛ per cent on call.

Close: Money on call steady, 1½@1¾ per cent; closing bid, 1½, offered at 1¾ per cent. Time loans, easy and dull; 60 days, 3 per cent; 90 days, 3@3½ per cent; six months, 3¾@4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 4½@5 per cent. Sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at 487.15@487.20 for demand, and at 484.40@484.45 for sixty day bills. Posted rates, 485 and 488. Commercial bills, 484⅛@484¼. Bar silver, 56c. Mexican dollars, 44¼c. Government bonds firm; railroad bonds irregular.

NEW YORK STOCK TRANSACTIONS.

Description.	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Closing—Mar. 24.	Closing—Mar. 23.
Am. Sugar	10,900	126⅝	127½	125⅛	125⅛	126¼
Do pfd.	50	125	125	125	125	125
Am. Locomotive	900	22¼	22¼	21⅞	21¾	22
Am. Cot. Oil pfd.	10	88	88	88	88	....
Am. Smelting	1,500	49	49⅜	48⅜	48⅜	48⅞
Do pfd.	300	90½	91	90½	91	91
Am. Linseed	100	8½	8½	8½	8½	....
Am. Car Fdy.	300	20½	20½	20½	20½	20¼
Do pfd.	500	71⅜	71⅜	71⅜	71⅜	70⅞
Am. Ice	1,000	6½	6½	6⅛	6⅛	6½
Do pfd.	1,500	25½	25½	24¼	24⅜	26
Allis-C. pfd.	100	40	40	40	40	41
Anaconda	800	67	68	66	66	.....
Atchison	21,400	70½	70⅜	69	69	70¼
Do pfd.	1,100	90½	90⅝	89⅝	90	90½
Amal. Copper	86,900	48⅞	50¼	48½	48½	48⅜
Am. Agl. Chem.	100	14	14	14	14	.....
Am. Woolen	100	10½	10½	10½	10½	.....
Bklyn. R. T.	44,700	43¾	44⅝	43	43⅛	43⅛
B. & O.	14,400	80	80⅛	78⅝	78⅝	79⅞
C. & N. W.	900	169⅞	170½	169⅝	169⅝	169⅞
Chi. & Alton	400	38	38⅜	37⅝	37⅝	38⅜
Do pfd.	100	80	80	80	80	80½
*C. M. & St. P.	37,100	143¼	143⅝	140½	140½	140⅞
Chi. Term. pfd.	100	20	20	20	20	20
Ches. & Ohio	800	32	32	31¼	31¼	32¼
Cont. Tob. pfd.	100	107	107	107	107	107
Canadian Pac.	2,800	115⅝	115⅝	114¼	114⅛	111⅞
Con. Gas [N. Y.]	1,700	199½	200⅝	198	198	198⅞
Colo. & Southern	900	17⅛	17¼	17⅛	17¼	17⅜
Do 2d pfd.	300	24	24	24	24	24⅞
Colo. F. & I.	300	28½	28½	27½	27½	29
C. & H. C. & I.	200	13⅜	13⅜	13⅜	13⅜	13⅝
Chi. Un. Trac.	400	6	6	6	6	6
C. Gt. West.	1,100	15⅝	15⅝	15⅛	15⅛	15¼
Do pfd. B.	200	26⅞	27½	26⅞	27½	28⅜
Corn Products	20	14	14	14	14	13⅞
D., L. & W.	200	265	267½	265	267½	264
Del. & Hud.	500	151	151	150⅝	150⅝	151
Do rites	1,300	3	3	2⅞	3	3
Detroit So.	100	11¼	11¼	11¼	11¼	11⅛
Det. Un. Ry.	300	63⅞	64½	63½	64½	65
D. S. S. & A.	10	8½	8½	8½	8½	....
Dist. Sec. Cor.	700	24¼	24¼	24	24	.....
Erie	3,900	27⅜	27⅜	26⅝	26½	26⅞
Do 1st pfd.	1,100	64⅞	65	64	64	64½
Do 2d pfd.	1,500	43⅛	43⅜	42	42	42⅞
Gr. North. pfd.	300	172½	172½	172	172	.....
Hocking Val. pfd	200	80¼	81	80¼	81	81½
Int'l Pump.	200	35	35	35	35	.....
Ill. Cent.	900	129⅛	129⅜	128½	129	130
Iowa Cent.	100	19½	19½	19½	19½	.....
Do pfd.	100	34½	34½	34½	34½	34
Int'l Paper pfd.	200	65	65	64¾	64¾	65¼
K.C.Ft.S.&M.pfd	100	66½	66½	66½	66½	.....
K. C. & So.	300	20	21	20	21	.....
Do pfd.	100	36½	36½	36½	36½	35⅝
L. & N.	4,900	106	107	105¼	105¼	106
M.St.P.& S.S.M.	600	63	63	62¼	62¼	63⅛
Do pfd.	300	123	123⅞	123	123	124
Met. Securities	1,300	79¾	80½	79¼	80¼	....
Manhattan	1,400	143¾	143¾	142⅝	142¾	143
M. K. & T.	200	18	18	18	18	18¼
Do pfd.	300	39¼	39¼	38⅝	38⅝	39¼
Met. St. Ry.	5,100	112	112½	110	110	112⅝
Mex. Cen. [Ltd.]	100	11¼	11¼	11¼	11¼	11⅝
Mo. Pac.	10,800	92	92⅝	90⅝	90⅝	91⅞
N. C. & St. L.	100	107½	107½	107½	107½	....
Nat. Biscuit	400	44¼	45	44¼	44⅜	44¼
N. R. R. Mex. pfd	100	37½	37½	37½	37½	38½
Nat. Lead	200	15	15	15	15	16
N. Y. Cent.	1,600	117¼	118	116¼	116¼	117¼
Norfolk & W.	1,400	58⅝	59	57⅝	58	58⅝
North Amn. Co.	200	84	84⅝	84	84⅝	85
N. Y., O. & W.	2,800	21⅝	21⅞	21⅜	21⅝	21⅝
N. Y. Air Brake	100	133½	133½	133½	133½	131¼
Nat. Enamel	100	19	19	19	19	....
O. & Eastern	100	19	19	19	19	....
People's Gas	2,700	97¼	97⅝	96¼	96¼	97¼
Penna. R. R.	54,700	118⅜	118⅜	117	117	118⅝
P. Steel Car pfd.	300	69¾	70	69½	70	....
Pere Marquette	200	75	75½	75	75½	....
Pac. Coast	100	53	53	53	53	....
Do 2d pfd.	200	63	63	63	63	....
Reading	19,700	45¼	45¼	43⅝	43⅝	44⅝
Do 2d pfd.	200	60	60	60	60	60
Ry. Goods pfd.	15	78	78	78	78	78
Ry. Steel Spring	100	20⅜	20⅜	20⅜	20⅜	20¼
Do pfd.	100	73⅝	73⅝	73⅝	73⅝	74⅜
Rock Island	13,500	23¼	23¼	22	22	22⅝
Do pfd.	1,400	62⅝	62⅝	62	62	63
Southern Ry.	2,900	22¼	22¼	21⅜	21⅜	22¼
Do pfd.	2,600	85⅝	85⅝	85	85	85⅝
So. Pac.	78,500	49⅝	49⅝	48	48	49⅞
St. L. & S. W.	200	14¼	14¼	14¼	14¼	....
Do pfd.	100	34	34	34	34	34½
St.L.&S.F.2d pfd	500	45	45¼	44¼	44¼	45¼
Sloss S. S. & I.	100	39¼	39¼	39¼	39¼	39
Tex. Pac.	400	24	24	23¼	23¼	24¼
T. C. & I.	800	39¼	39⅝	38¼	38⅝	38⅞
Tol. St. L. & W.	100	25¼	25¼	25¼	25¼	25⅞
Do pfd.	100	34	34	34	34	34½
Twin City	100	92	92	92	92	92½
Un. Pac.	73,800	82⅜	82⅜	80	80¼	81⅞
Do pfd.	30,700	92¼	92¼	90	90⅝	92
U. R. & I. Co. pfd	100	43⅝	43⅝	43⅝	43⅝	43¼
U. S. Realty pfd.	1,000	51½	52¼	49⅝	49⅝	51⅛
U. S. Rubber	100	13	13	13	13	....
U. S. Leather	200	7¾	7¾	7	7	....
Do pfd.	500	78⅝	78⅝	78	78	78½
U. S. Steel	2,500	11⅜	11⅜	11¼	11¼	11¼
Do pfd.	11,400	58⅛	58⅛	58⅜	58⅝	58⅝
U. S. C. I. P. pfd	400	40⅝	40⅝	40	40⅝	....
Va. Caro. Chem.	900	30⅝	31	30	30	31
Do pfd.	100	104½	104½	104½	104½	....
W. & L. E.	100	16	16	16	16	17
Wabash	400	19	19	19	19	19¼
Do pfd.	1,700	37⅝	37¼	36¼	36⅜	37
Wis. Cent.	100	18⅝	18⅝	18⅝	18⅝	19¼
Westinghouse	400	162	162	162	162	164

*Ex div. 3½ per cent.
†Ex div. 1½ per cent.
Total sales of stocks, 631,800 shares.

EXPRESS STOCKS.

Adams	222	United States	103
American	190	Fargo	205

GOVERNMENT BONDS.

U. S. ref. 2s, reg.	105¼	U. S. new 4s, reg.	132⅝
U. S. ref. 2s, coup.	105⅝	U. S. new 4s, coup.	132⅝
U. S. 3s, reg.	106¼	U. S. old 4s, reg.	107
U. S. 3s, coup.	106¼	U. S. old 4s, coup.	108

NEW YORK BOND SALES AND QUOTATIONS—10 A. M. TO 3 P. M.

40000 Atch gen 4s. 101@⅜	3000 Man con 4s. 104
11000 do adj stamp. 88⅞	57000 Mex C 3½s. 13⅛
1000 B-C 3½s. 94	10000 do 2d inc. 7⅛
1000 do 4s. 102	3000 do 4½s. 94¼
10000 do S W 3½s. 88¼@⅛	10000 Met St Ry 4s. 91¼@½
4000 B-7th Ave 5s. 114	1000 M K-T 4s. 98⅜
1000 B R T ref 4s. 78⅝	8000 do 2d. 77⅛@78
6000 Cent Ga con. 106½	2000 do ext 5s. 100
6000 do 2d inc. 28⅞	5000 Mo P coll. 105¼@⅜
9000 C-O 4½s. 101@⅛	
4000 do con 5s. 116	10000 M L-T 7s. 130¼
1000 Con Tob 4s. 58⅜	2000 N C-St L 7s. 122½
1000 C B-Q joint 93⅝@94	2000 N Y C 3½s. 97⅝
7000 do ill 3½s. 92¼	2000 do L S 3½s. 87
4000 C-N W S F 5s. 110⅛	5000 do M C 3½s. 86
3000 do deb 1933. 116⅛	1000 N Y Dock 4s. 91
3000 do deb 1902. 105	4000 N Y O-W 4s. 100⅝
28000 C R I-P 4s new. 69⅝@70½	1000 N-W Poca 4s 89½
2000 do coll 5s. 78⅝	46000 N P 3s. 71½
2000 Chi Terml 4s. 80	32000 do 4s. 103⅝
7000 C C C-St L g m. 100@¼	7000 O S L 6s. 122
6000 Colo So 4s. 85⅝@86	394000 do 4s. 94⅛@⅜
1000 Cal-9th Ave. 115¼	1000 do con 5s. 113⅞
7000 C-A 3s. 84	3000 Penn 3½s 1916 98⅝
6000 do 3½s. 77	5000 do R E 4s. 105
2000 D-R G 4s. 97⅞@⅛	4000 Rdg gen 4s. 96¼
46000 Dist Sec 5s 67@68	9000 St L-I M 5s. 114
1000 Erie con 4s. 97¼	1000 do 4s. 87
2000 do gen lien. [illegible]	7000 St L S W 1st. 94@¼
[illegible] do 4th ext. 114	3000 do con. 71⅝
5000 do 2d ext. 112½	5000 St P M-M 6s. 131⅞@132
3000 do 1st con. 131⅛	10000 S C-Ga 1st. 104¼
2000 Ft W-D C 1st 105	1000 S A-A P 4s. 78⅞
5000 Ga-Ala 1st. 103	4000 S V-N E 4s. 100
10000 Hudson Gas 5s. 104⅝	11000 So Ry 5s. 113@¼
1000 H V 4½s. 105¼	9000 Third Ave 4s. 94⅞
3000 I-Gt N 2d. 98¼@⅜	1000 T St L-W 3½s. 82½
3000 Ia Cent 1st. 110	4000 do 4s. 69⅝
134000 K C Ft S-M 4s. 79@80¼	4000 U P 4s. 103⅝@⅞
1000 Lac Gas 5s. 107	51000 do conv. 97½@⅜
4000 L E-W 2ds. 112	159000 Un Ry S F 4s. 79⅝@⅜
21000 L S M S 3½s. 98⅞	350000 U S Steel 5s. 74⅛@⅜
4000 do 4s. 99¼	1000 do reg. 74½
2000 L I g m 4s. 100⅜	2000 Wab 2d. 106½
2000 Lacka Steel 5s 94⅞	1000 do Oma div. 81⅜
	1000 Wis C 4s. 89½

Total sales of bonds, $1,918,000.

SILVER REGIME WINS VICTORY.

Old Board of Directors Re-elected at Annual Meeting in Jersey City—Statement Is Not Given Out.

New York, March 24.—[Special.]—The annual meeting of the International Silver company was held in Jersey City today and resulted in a sweeping victory for the present administration with the reëlection of the old board of directors by a vote of 40,512 out of a possible 64,500, notwithstanding that the injunction served on the company prevented it from voting stock secured by it through the purchase of the United States Silver corporation. There was no vote by the opposition. The only new members to be elected to the board are Andrew Andrews, C. Berry Feets, and L. E. Stevens. In the near future a meeting of directors is to be held in Meriden for the purpose of electing officers. It was announced that the statement had been mailed to stockholders when the notice of today's meeting was sent to them. It was not given out here. The net earnings of the company last year are said to have amounted to nearly $1,000,000, the largest in its history. The earnings in 1902 were $881,000.

PEORIA GAS SUIT APPEALED.

Lighting Company Declared to Be in Violation of Anti-Trust Law and Case Goes to Supreme Court.

Peoria, Ill., March 24.—[Special.]—Judge Humphrey of the federal court decided today that the Peoria Gas and Electric company is in violation of the anti-trust law of Illinois.

Judge Humphrey did not pass upon the validity of the seventy-five cent gas ordinance, nor upon the reasonableness of the rate so fixed, but merely denies the complainant any relief in a court of equity on the ground that it has violated the anti-trust law of Illinois.

The injunction heretofore issued, restraining the city of Peoria from enforcing the ordinance, will, by the terms of the decree, remain in force, pending an appeal to the United States Supreme court, and the business status of the company, therefore will not be affected thereby.

PREACHER PLEADS FOR VOTES.

A. J. Francis, Prohibition Aldermanic Candidate in the Twelfth Ward, Urges Local Option.

The Rev. A. J. Francis, prohibition candidate for alderman in the Twelfth ward, opened his campaign last night by speaking at a local option meeting in the Berea Congregational church.

"Personally," he said, "I have no desire for office. Whether or not it will be comfortable to live in this ward after the campaign I cannot say, but I am going to try to displace Ald. Cerveny, the representative of brewing interests."

Mr. Francis declared that if elected he would "practice what he preached."

The pastor was preceded by Eva Marshall Shontz, who exhibited two bottles of whisky, one purchased at the saloon of Ald. Kenna. She used them in illustrating a story entitled, "At the Mercy of the State," and developed the idea that every man who voted for license encouraged murder.

A local option massmeeting will be held in the First Methodist church April 7.

BRIBE SEEKER IS IN CONTEMPT.

Springfield Appellate Court, in Decision on O'Neill Case, Holds Proceedings Not Criminal.

Springfield, Ill., March 24.—[Special.]—In the appealed case of William O'Neill of Bloomington, the Appellate court decided today that a juror who solicits a bribe is in contempt of court and can be punished both for that and for the crime. It also holds that contempt proceeding under this head is not criminal, that the defendant cannot avoid answering interrogatories, and that he has only such rights as were given him under the common law. O'Neill was accused of soliciting a bribe in the trial of a case in Bloomington and was sentenced to jail for contempt of court. He appealed on the ground that the court had no jurisdiction because the offense charged was a crime, punishable under statute.

FROM JAIL TO DYING MOTHER.

Former Policeman Edward Callahan Goes Under Guard to Visit His Aged Parent.

Under a guard of deputy sheriffs, former Policeman Edward Callahan was taken from jail yesterday to the bedside of his dying mother. He has been imprisoned during several months on indictments for robbery, and meanwhile his mother's health has been failing rapidly. When Callahan learned of her condition he repeatedly begged Jailer Whitman to let him visit her, and, after a conference with Chief Deputy Sheriff Byrnes, the permission was granted.

DUCK HUNTER LOSES HIS LIFE.

Accidental Discharge of His Shotgun Causes the Death of Albert Johnson.

Albert Johnson, 21 years old, Peterson and Fairfield avenues, was accidentally shot and killed yesterday by the discharge of his shotgun while he was duck hunting on the north branch of the Chicago river at Forty-eighth avenue. The body was recovered by his brother, who was with him. Johnson grasped his weapon by the barrel in pulling it toward him, and the triggers became entangled.

CHANGE IN TINPLATE OFFICERS.

William M. Leeds to Resign as Vice President and Charles W. Bray Will Replace Him.

Pittsburg, Pa., March 24.—An important change in the official life of the underlying companies of the United States Steel corporation is the resignation of First Vice President William M. Leeds of the American Sheet and Tinplate company, effective April 1. It also is learned that Charles W. Bray, the present chief engineer of the company, is to succeed Leeds.

Upholds Michigan Salt Rates.

Washington, D. C., March 24.—The interstate commerce commission today announced that there was no unjust discrimination in the tariff rates on salt from Michigan to Missouri river points and intermediate localities in favor of the salt interests of Manistee and Ludington as against Detroit salt interests.

NEWS NOTES BY TELEGRAPH.

GEORGETOWN, O.—The body of George Kelch was found in a creek. Ida Matthews, his sweetheart, was murdered a few days ago and he is supposed to have committed the crime and then killed himself.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn.—Samuel C. Hazzard, former army officer of Pottsville, Pa., will go to the penitentiary on a two years' sentence for bigamy, being unable to furnish bail.

TERRE HAUTE—Jerry Duggins was convicted of the murder of Mrs. Sarah Ramsey and her two children and sentenced to be hanged.

SAN FRANCISCO—Three witnesses testified against Mrs. Botkin, on trial for sending poisoned candy.

TURF SEASON IN EAST IS OPENED.

Big Crowd Attends Racing at Bennings Track—Handicap to Shrine.

SAIS FINISHES SECOND.

Field of Fair Class Is Sent Away in Straggling Fashion; Course Is Muddy.

Washington, D. C., March 24.—[Special.]—Under perfect weather conditions and with a crowd of 12,000 persons in attendance, the eastern racing season was successfully opened at Bennings today. Washington society turned out royally, and the clubhouse was thronged with government dignitaries, together with men of wide renown.

The feature of the program which provided large fields was the Bennings Spring Handicap at six furlongs. The track was heavy with holding mud, so that many of the best eligibles were kept in their stalls. But the field that went to the post to be sent away by Mars Cassidy was made up of horses that are fairly well seasoned, even though lacking in class.

True to the prophecy of those who came here from Hot Springs, the winner turned up in H. C. Schultz's 4 year old Atheling mare, Shrine, which closed at 7 to 1. Sais, a 3 year old colt by St. Blaise, at 8 to 1, ran second, and the well known Ben Strome mare, Ascension, 5 to 1, finished third. The race was run in 1:17, which was good time, considering the track.

Start Is Straggling.

The sendoff was poor, the field getting away in straggling fashion with the Daly horses quickly shut off. Quick breaking enabled both Shrine, ridden by Carmack, and Monte Carlo to show in front simultaneously at the rising of the barrier. They set a fast pace, followed by Sais and Latheron. Masterman and Ascension went after them under persuasion and this order was maintained to the head of the stretch. Shrine and Monte Carlo at that point were racing head and head, but the former was in better trim and forged to the front. Monte Carlo, short in work evidently, then blew up and fell back into the ruck. Wonderly went to work with a will on Sais and sailed after the flying Shrine, while Burns moved up with Ascension in a game rush, having left Masterman behind him. But Shrine was queen. She had the speed and stamina to stall off the challenge from Sais and Ascension, and, galloping on down to the judges' stand, she gradually drew away and won easily by three lengths. It was a hard, relentless drive for the place, Sais taking it by a length and a half, Ascension finishing half a length in front of Latheron. The winner was cheered and the owner warmly congratulated.

Rain or Shine a Winner.

Rain or Shine, a 3 year old, won the first race, a distinction that was marked by the presentation of silver cups to his owner, trainer, and jockey. Wreath of Ivy was a slight favorite over Rain or Shine, but the former was outrun from the start.

John J. Ryan, the get rich quick man, was at the track, the jockey club having recently reinstated him.

It is said the Jockey club will soon issue a license to Jockey L. Smith, who was set down more than a year ago for an alleged poor ride on Merry Acrobat at Morris Park.

The Arlington purse for 2 year olds was a contest between Modredlaw and Sweet Pepper, who have been racing at New Orleans, with a half dozen or more youngsters who have been training at Bennings. The victory went to Modredlaw.

First race, ¾ mile—Rain or Shine, 101 pounds [H. Phillips], 3 to 1, won; Tol San, 99 [E. Walsh], 5 to 1, second; Gold Dome, 98 [H. Cochran], 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:19. Wreath of Ivy, Hopeful Miss, Bluish, Piquet, Extralaw, and Calgarry ran.

Second race, ½ mile, Arlington purse, 2 year olds—Modred Law, 119 pounds [E. Walsh], 7 to 1, won; Filigree, 109 [T. Burns], 10 to 1, second; Dulcibella, 109 [H. Phillips], 7 to 2, third. Time, :51 4-5. Sweet Pepper, Red Ruler, Master Douglass, Preen, Only One, and Allan Avon ran.

Third race, ¾ mile, Benning Spring handicap—Shrine, 105 pounds [Carmack], 6 to 1, won; Sais, 107 [Wonderly], 8 to 1, second; Ascension, 116 [T. Burns], 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:17. Lathron, Conkling, Briarthorpe, Masterman, Himself, Monte Carlo, Illyria, Worry, Chicle, Morning Star, and Typhonic ran. Himself and Illyria coupled.

Fourth race, ¾ mile—Queen Elizabeth, 114 pounds [T. Burns], 4 to 1, won; Mammon, 99 [H. Phillips], 5 to 1, second; Gen. Steward, 99 [Romanelli], 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:32 4-5. Coquetta, W. B. Fasig, Mohican, May Holliday, Zodok, Royal Wisdom, Lady Faragon, Dixie Paradise, Panther, Tobasa, and Danvillian ran.

Fifth race, 1 mile and 40 yards—Rough Rider, 107 pounds [Wade], 30 to 1, won; Honolulu, 107 [Carmack], 4 to 5, second; Bessie McCarthy, 105 [Burns], 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:54. Circus, Past, Locket, Bronx, Meistersinger, Rabunta, Dark Planet, Hymettus, and Bar le Duc ran.

Sixth race, steeplechase, about 2 miles—Gum Honey, 161 pounds [Willis], 7 to 2, won; Pebble Boy, 153 [Seaton], 6 to 1, second; Trinity Bell, 151 [G. Green], 6 to 1, third. Time, 4:20. Agio, Billy Ray, Red Hook, Capt. Hayes started but fell.

Bennings Entries.

First race, ¾ mile, fillies and mares—Belle of Milford, 113 pounds; Lorina, 111; Moorhen, Gold Ribbon, 96.

Second race, ½ mile, maiden 2 year olds—Pasadena, Jack McKeon, Girdlestone, R. L. Johnson, Chief Millikin, Garrett Wilson, Dr. Swartz, 107 pounds; Bedella, Lily Brook, Incense, Quiet Tip, Broadway Girl, 104.

Third race, 13-16 mile, selling—Arden, 114 pounds; Tugal Bey, 113; Colonist, 112; Princelet, 110; Alpaca, 109; Springbrook, Mist, 107; Alline Abbott, 104; Rockland, Mr. Pickwick, 99.

Fourth race, ⅞ mile—Pompano, Scotch Thistle, 106 pounds; St. Juvenal, 103.

Fifth race, ¾ mile, selling—McWilliams, 117 pounds; Paul Clifford, 107; Tom Kiley, 98.

Sixth race, 1 mile—Falmouth, 115 pounds; Pipe, 111; Clarence, John F. Ahern, 95; Gay, Sunglint, 92; Hook and Eye, Redlight, 90.

DEFENSE WITNESS TESTIFIES.

Charles Epstein Declares Aimless Was in Cincinnati When Sarah Black Won Race at Detroit.

Detroit, Mich., March 24.—Charles M. Epstein of Cincinnati was one of the first witnesses for the defense today in the trial of Ed. E. Farley on the charge of "ringing" the mare Aimless under the name of Sarah Black at Grosse Pointe on June 16, 1903.

The prosecution had rested after taking up two days and a half in introducing testimony. Epstein declared on the stand that on the day of the contested race the mare Aimless was not in Detroit but at Newport, Ky. He said he was able to fix the date definitely, because on the same day he bet and won on Sarah Black, which was running at Detroit, he went to see Aimless at Newport, with a view to purchasing her from H. H. Kingsbury. He expected to get Aimless for $1,500, but gave up the idea when $2,000 was asked.

It was just a day or two after this that he read of Farley's being ruled off the track for ringing Aimless at Detroit. This, he said, he looked upon as a joke, in view of the fact that he had seen Aimless at Newport the day that Sarah Black won her race at Detroit.

Edward Epstein, a brother of Charles Epstein, took the stand and corroborated his brother's testimony. He said he had accompanied his brother to Newport to see Aimless on June 16. Alex. Mengler of Cincinnati testified that Aimless was stabled at Newport from June 6 to July 3. He said that he himself had sole charge of the mare, and had fed her twice a day during that time. He declared that he was the man who gave Epstein the tip to bet on Sarah Black on June 16, and that this occurred when Epstein had come from Cincinnati to look Aimless over, with a view to buying her.

Cleveland's Bowlers Withdraw.

Cleveland, O., March 24.—Cleveland will not be a member of the National Bowling league recently formed in this city. This has been determined upon owing to the number of other prominent events in which members of the bowling fraternity from this city will take part. Erie, Pa., which heretofore made a strong bid for membership, has been decided upon and will be granted the franchise, it is stated. The league will be composed of eight cities—New York, Brooklyn, Philadelphia, Buffalo, Chicago, Pittsburg, Toledo, and Erie.

Lowe May Play with Pittsburg.

Hot Springs, Ark., March 24.—[Special.]—Bobby Lowe has been sent for to let Manager Clarke examine that wounded knee. If the knee is in working order Lowe will be signed as a Pirate. Clarke said of him: "I would rather have Lowe as a utility man than twenty youngsters. With Lowe on the team it would be steadied and every play would be a correct one. I hope his knee will permit him to remain in the game, as the league cannot afford to lose a player like him." Alfred Deihl of Cincinnati, an amateur, is being tried on second base.

Other Billiard Games.

At Schaefer's—Cezarus, 130; Tinker, 131. Tonight, Hoffman and Fox.

At Levy's—Watkins, 165; Levy, 96. Tonight, Bionson, 130, and Mayer, 110.

DERBY FOR RALPH YOUNG.

OUTSIDER CAPTURES THE ARKANSAS FEATURE FROM RAINLAND.

Colt Recently Claimed from James Arthur Out of a Selling Race by a St. Louis Politician Shows That His True Form Was Partly Under Cover —Big Crowd of Representative People Sees the Race at Little Rock—Other Turf News.

Little Rock, Ark., March 24.—[Special.]—Derby day in Little Rock was the most successful in the history of the track. The biggest crowd that has ever attended here was on hand in spite of threatening weather, and it was a representative crowd, too.

The Derby, as is usual in all such races, resulted in a big upset. All smart people thought Rainland had a mortgage on the purse and it was hard to see how any of the starters, and, above all, Jim Arthur's castoff, Ralph Young, had a possible chance to beat the Rainbow colt, but Ralph Young did it, and did it handsomely, too.

The winner is a nice looking colt, by Oakwood, out of Freyja, being of good racing parentage on both sides. He was bred by J. E. Cushing, who scratched William Wright out of today's event, and was sold to Jim Arthur last spring for $1,500. In Arthur's hands he was always considered a disappointment, and when Chris Schwacker, a St. Louis politician, claimed him out of a race at Hot Springs last week for $1,400 wise people were all of the opinion that he had reached out and grabbed a gold brick, but he won the colt out today, first money in the stake being $1,010.

First race, ½ mile—Courant, 107 pounds [W. Minder], 1 to 2, won; John Barbee, 110 [D. Boland], 7 to 2, second; Netting, 100 [Aubuchon], 3 to 1, third. Time, :52. Bonanza King and Inflammable ran.

Second race, ¾ mile—Boomerack, 113 pounds [Troxler], 2 to 1, won; Joe Martin, 115 [Stevens], even, second; Sweet Dream, 106 [R. Martin], 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:16½. Arak, Will Shelly, Nearest, Outfield, Bart Howe, A Convict, Duella, and Sarilla ran.

Third race, ¾ mile—Tennesseean, 96 pounds [Robbins], even, won; Poruol Pas, 103 [Aubuchon], 9 to 1, second; Balm of Gilead, 118 [Dominick], 6 to 5, third. Time, 1:31¼. Tiomaine, Cohasset, and Bandillo ran.

Fourth race, Arkansas Derby, $1,000 added, 1 mile—Ralph Young, 112 [Troxler], 5 to 1, won; Rainland, 117 [Fuller], 1 to 4, second; Barkley, 102 [Minder], 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:46½. Lida Leib ran.

Fifth race, 1 mile and 70 yards—St. Tammany, 107 pounds [Davisson], 6 to 1, won; Caithness, 100 [Minder], 2 to 1, second; Kingstelle, 118 [Perkins], 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:48½. Imboden and Edgardo ran.

Sixth race, 1⅛ miles—Inspector Shea, 107 pounds [Robbins], 5 to 1, won; Buglehorn, 84 [Perkins], 4 to 1, second; Sister Lillian, 98 [Aubuchon], 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:59. Henry of Franstamar, Excentral, Dean Lee, Star Gazer, and Peter Duryea ran.

ENTRIES.

First race, ½ mile, 2 year olds—Bounding Ship, 105 pounds; Hazel Bragg, 100; Fay Templeton, 115; Will Rollins, 108; Liddon, 103; Tommy O'Hara, 118.

Second race, 11-16 mile, selling—Bay View, Little Pirate, Dick Ripley, 92 pounds; Dolinda, George James, 108; Polly Hill, 96; Ripple Frazier, 98; Ed Guinzberg, 95.

Third race, 1 mile and 70 yards, selling—Clifton Boy, 106 pounds; Kinloch Park, 109; Ora McKinney, 86; Zarilla, 104; Tabannach, 101; Barney Dreyfuss, 88; Belmuda, 95.

Fourth race, 1 mile—Snow Drift, 106 pounds; Ingold, Thrift, Black Wolf, Martius, 100.

Fifth race, ¾ mile—Swindle Meyer, 90 pounds; Little Arrow, 94; Leviathan, 100; Countess Clara, 107; Arak, 101; Clifton Boy, 93; Feby Blue, 92; Will Shelly, 98; Dr. Clark, 106.

Sixth race, ¾ mile—Sweet Dream, 100 pounds; Tiomaine, 93; Laura Hunter, 102; Budweiser, 106; Tenny Belle, 108; Lenox, 100; Boomerack, 114; Joe Martin, 117.

JOCKEY CLUB BEATS FAVORITE.

Captures Race Over Futurity Course at Oakland from Heavily Backed Ahumada—Elmer L. Wins at 20 to 1.

San Francisco, Cal., March 24.—[Special.]—The weather continues uncertain and, although it did not rain today, the track at Oakland was heavy. The event of the day was the race over the Futurity course in which Ahumada was heavily backed to win. But the eastern horse did not prove equal to the task, Jockey Club easily outfooting the favorite through the stretch. The winner was 4 to 1. Elmer L. won the first race at 20 to 1, the talent figuring that the route was not far enough for the son of Esher. Northwest was a close second. Meana took the 2 year old race in handy fashion from Escobosa. Letola easily beat Ocyrohe, the favorite, in the last race. Dr. Kyle ships east tomorrow with Ahumada, Keynote, and others. He has had a long run of bad luck.

Weather cloudy, track sloppy.

First race, 13-16 mile—Elmer L., 109 pounds [McHannon], 10 to 1, won; Northwest, 90 [Knapp], 4 to 1, second; Vigoroso, 98 [Crossthwaite], 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:27½. Emil, Mesto, Doris, Rey Hooker, Hogarth, Young Pepper, Lou Clieveden, and The Miller ran.

Second race, ½ mile—Meada, 105 pounds [J. Martin], 6 to 5 won; Escobosa, 105 [Bonner], 4 to 1, second; Eduardo, 113 [See], 4 to 1, third. Time, :51½. Pirella and Light of Day ran.

Third race, 13-16 mile—Criss Cross, 112 pounds [Mountain], 3 to 5, won; Maraschino, 106 [J. Martin], 4 to 1, second; Miss May Bowdish, 85 [Crossthwaite], 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:28½. Lozano, St. Rica, Bogus Bill, Bob Palmer, H. P. Cane, Edra, and Harka ran.

Fourth race, Futurity course—Jockey Club, 109 pounds [J. Martin], 3 to 1, won; Ahumada, 104 [C. Smith], 7 to 5, second; Mistya Pride, 104 [Mountain], 7 to 1, third. Time, 1:15. First Chip, Venator, and Albula ran.

Fifth race, mile and 50 yards—Galanthus, 104 pounds [Buxton], 7 to 5, won; Flaneur, 104 [C. Smith], 4 to 1, second; Boutonniere, 104 [J. T. Sheehan], 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:51. Pat Morrissey, Silurian, and Captivate ran.

Sixth race, ¾ mile—Letola, 99 pounds [Travers], 2 to 1, won; Ocyrohe, 107 [Buxton], 6 to 5, second; Hulford, 104 [Crossthwaite], 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:19. Dusty Miller, Orchan, and Scherzo ran.

ENTRIES.

First race, ¾ mile, selling—Tom Mitchell, 105 pounds; Pencil Me, 105; Amoruna, 98; Decimo, 100; Candidate, 100; Sissenvine, 100; Educate, 103; Sam Lazarus Esq., 108.

Second race, ½ mile—Abba, 105 pounds; Anita Knight, 105; Emily Callahan, 105; Lamenia, 105; Albert Fir, 108; Disproportionableness, 108; Head Dance, 108; Saccharate, 100; Hooligan, 108; Heredia, 109.

Third race, Futurity course, selling—Penzance, 104 pounds; Mattie Clark, 104; Gene Gravier, 111; Dr. Sherman, 115; Young Morello, 118; Jim McCleevy, 120; Brennus, 126.

Fourth race, 1 mile and 100 yards, selling—Pilic M. J., 108 pounds; I Do Go, 100; Byronerdale, 103; The Toller, 103; Axminster, 103.

Fifth race, ¾ mile, selling—Frivolous, 90 pounds; Thank Heaven, 93; Northwest, 95; Salto, 95; Foxy Grandpa, 102; Inspector Munroe, 103; Jack Little, 107; Louise Mac, 107.

Sixth race, ¾ mile, selling—Kickumbob, 100 pounds; Maraschino, 100; Mr. Dingle, 103; Boutonniere, 105; Glissando, 105; Ora Viva, 108; Reeves, 108; Possart, 108; Black Thorn, 108.

Results at Los Angeles.

First race, 11-16 mile—Gen. Cronje, 8 to 1, won; Red Horse, 5 to 2, second; Ragnoraki II., 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:03¾.

Second race, ⅞ mile—Thisbe, 3 to 1, won; Emshee, 3 to 1, second; Phyz, 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:28¾.

Third race, 1¼ miles, hurdles—Nitrate, 1 to 2, won; Cannell, 5 to 1, second; Walter, 1 to 2, third. Time, 2:06.

Fourth race, ¾ mile—Eldred, 3 to 1, won; Military, 6 to 1, second; Marta, 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:16.

Fifth race, ⅝ mile—Victoria S., 5 to 1, won; Maud Brown, 15 to 1, second; El Chihuahua, 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:03¾.

Sixth race, ¾ mile, selling—Lady Fonse, 3 to 1, won; Flamero, 12 to 1, second; Chief Aloha, 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:16½.

ENTRIES.

First race, 1 mile, maidens—Annie F., 98 pounds; Maud M., 98; Uppercut, 100; Honduran, 100; Rey del Rio, 100; Capitol, 102; Liberto, 105; Oklahoma Belle, 108; Bessie Welfly, 108; No Friend, 110; Inaugurator, 110; Ed Lanigan, 113; Innisbruck, 113; Fitz Stockwell, 113.

Second race, 2 year olds, ½ mile—Herthus, 100 pounds; Jerome, 100; Dorando, 103; Sinicado, 103; Peggy Mine, 107; Air Ship, 110; Belle Kennedy, 112; Pinkerton, 118.

Third race, 1 mile, selling—Urbano, 100 pounds; Blue Miracle, 100; Nell Holton, 101; Maresa, 101; Rosebud, 101; Skirmish, 101; Cardwellton, 103; Gibraltar, 106.

Fourth race, ¾ mile, handicap—Turtle, 90 pounds; Atlantico, 90; Barrington, 96; Gallant, 98; M. F. Tarpy, 100; Golden Mineral, 102; Nevermore, 107.

Fifth race, ¾ mile, selling—Katherine Ennis, 101 pounds; Laureatea, 106; Dolly Welthoff, 106; Farmer Jim, 108; J. V. Kirby, 108; Rio Chico, 108; Rag Tag, 111.

Sixth race, 1 mile and 70 yards—Emir, 97 pounds; Gentle Harry, 100; Admetus, 102; Sherry, 104; Cursus, 104; Phyz, 107; All About, 112.

Respess' Racing Plans.

Cincinnati, O., March 24.—[Special.]—Rome Respess, owner of Dick Welles, the fastest horse in the world, was here today. He said: "I am making every preparation to race my horses in Chicago this summer, as I do not take any stock in the idea of a stop being put to racing there. It would be killing the goose that lays the golden egg, and I think the parties interested will get together before they begin cutting each other's throats. I am training my horses at Woodlawn and will keep them there until May 1, when I go to Latonia."

Conklin Beats Reimann.

Conklin (300) defeated Reimann (200) by 300 to 106 in Mussey's handicap balk line tournament last night. The game was the fastest of the tourney, both men beating their best previous average, while that of Conklin's is the highest made thus far. The winner had a glorious opportunity to hang up a much better average, as with fifty-seven points to go he made a run of forty-seven, and with the ivories huddled missed a masse by a fraction of an inch. He was going great guns at the time and but for the unfortunate miss might have run out the game, which would have given him an average of nearly fourteen. Conklin's high run, forty-eight; average, twelve. Reimann's high run, twenty-one; average, 4⅛. Parker (270) and Adams (290) play tonight.

New York Will Farm Minnehan.

Birmingham, Ala., March 21.—[Special.]—The New York club will farm Pitcher Minnehan to Birmingham.

WHITE SOX WIN AN EASY CONTEST.

Comiskey's Men Play Good Baseball and Defeat New Orleans 9 to 2.

GAME IS NEVER IN DOUBT.

Hard Batting in First Inning Gives Chicagoans Five Runs; Dundon on Sick List.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

New Orleans, La., March 24.—[Special.]—Playing more and better baseball than they have shown in any previous game, the White Stockings defeated New Orleans 9 to 2 today in a game which was never in doubt. A bunch of swats, each labeled with the genuine trademark followed a little wildness by the Pelican pitcher in the opening inning and five runs resulted, removing all interest from the game as a contest.

Nevertheless the White Sox played remarkably brilliant and heady baseball to the finish, taking every advantage of every opening, and held the 1,200 "rooters" to the end in sheer admiration. Dundon was found to be on the hospital list this morning, partly as the result of overdoing his pactice yesterday afternoon, and partly because of eating something his stomach didn't like.

Combination Is Broken.

This broke up the combination which Comiskey was anxious to try on the infield, as it necessitated playing Clarke at second, Callahan's thumb keeping him on the bench. Harry was the only cog in the new machine which did not work perfectly and was handicapped by his lack of knowledge of the position. His mistakes were wholly of omission, not commission, however. Tannehill played third base as if born there and accepted several difficult chances. One of them was a swift liner, which would have torn his hands off if he had not happened to judge it absolutely correctly.

Davis was at short, of course, and pulled off one play which forced him to shoot the ball hard to first. He did it, but it hurt his arm a little, as he made a short throw directly after. Holmes was sufficiently recovered to return to uniform and played left field in spectacular fashion. He did not get a chance at a fly ball, but he fielded several long hits in such fast style he cut them down to singles and drew the applause of the crowd.

Holmes in a Pretty Play.

With Tannehill as a relay, Holmes figured in a pretty play in the seventh. With Stewart on first, Law pulled a hit close to the left field line. It was only a two bagger, but Stewart was killed off at the plate by several steps on perfect throwing. Jones made a pretty running catch of a fly from Law, gathering it with one hand, and also cut off the run credited to New Orleans in the eighth inning on a splendid throw from deep center field, but the umpire called the runner safe, admitting his mistake after the game. Green made a brilliant catch, which saved the scoring of more runs in the ninth. Berry caught a steady game, and accepted several opportunities to show that he knows the inside workings of his position.

Stricklett pitched three innings and was hit safely only once. That followed a fumble by Donohue, and gave New Orleans its first run. Dougherty pitched the next three innings, and, although he was hit hard, nothing escaped the clutches of his supporters except one two bagger. Altrock finished out the day's work. Four hits were made off his delivery, but no runs would have scored without the umpire's aid.

Nice Work by Tannehill.

Tannehill did nice work with the stick, getting three clean singles and a sacrifice in four times up. Chauncy Fisher, who is here, and in better condition than for several years, has asked Comiskey for a trial, and will get it. He will practice with the White Sox daily, and may pitch a part of one of the games against New Orleans. He expects at least to show that he is good enough for some fast minor league club.

Walsh, Owen, and Flaherty will pitch tomorrow's game, and Dundon may be on second base. Score:

Chicago.	R	B	P	A	E	N. Orleans.	R	B	P	A	E
Holmes, lf.	1	2	0	1	0	M'gom'y, lf.	2	0	1	0	0
Green, rf.	1	0	1	1	0	Br't'stein, cf.	0	0	2	0	1
C. Jones, cf.	0	1	2	0	0	Rickert, rf.	0	0	2	0	1
Davis, ss.	1	0	3	4	1	Rohe, 3b.	0	0	1	4	0
Donohue, 1b.	2	1	11	1	1	Stewart, 2b.	0	2	1	1	0
Tan'hill, 3b.	2	3	2	3	0	Law, 1b.	0	1	14	0	0
Clark, 2b.	1	1	2	3	0	Atz, ss.	0	1	0	4	0
Berry, c.	0	1	6	1	0	Fox, c.	0	0	5	0	0
Stricklett, p.	0	0	0	3	0	Nerr, p.	0	0	0	1	0
D'gherty, p.	1	1	0	0	0	Lee, p.	0	0	0	1	0
Altrock, p.	0	0	0	0	0	Brown, p.	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	9	10	27	19	2	Totals	2	6	24	12	2

Chicago	5	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	*	—9
New Orleans	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	—2

Two base hits—Clark, Holmes, Stewart, Dougherty, Law. Three base hit—Berry. Struck out—By Stricklett, 2; by Altrock, 2; by Herr, 3; by Lee, 1. Sacrifice—Breitenstein. Bases on balls—Off Dougherty, 1; off Altrock, 2; off Herr, 1; off Lee, 1. Stolen base—Holmes. Hit by pitcher—By Herr, 1; by Brown, 1. Wild pitch—Brown. Passed ball—Berry. Time—1:40. Umpire—Phelan. Attendance, 1,200.

JOHNSON BACK FROM THE EAST.

American League President Is Reticent Concerning the Schedule Situation, but May Talk Today.

President Ban Johnson of the American league returned home yesterday after an absence in the east of three weeks, but those who expected a few baseball fireworks were disappointed. On "war" talk he was as noncommital as a Japanese official, except for a significant remark that "while the present officials of the two leagues continue in office there is not much chance of war." This would appear to indicate a peaceful solution of the schedule question.

"My secretary informs me," said the president, "that there is a letter from Mr. Dreyfuss relating to the schedule, but I have been so busy with other matters since my return that I have not yet read it. When I have had time to give it consideration I may have something to say on the matter.

"We succeeded in selling the Washington club and believe it is now in good hands. The new grounds are within ten minutes' ride of the center of the city and will prove popular with the public. It will take about ten days to transfer the plant for the old grounds. Manager Loftus is still there, but whether he will remain I cannot say. It looks as if he had a pretty fair team. The Hillebrand brothers signed contracts and I see no reason why they should not live up to them.

I visited the New York grounds twice and they will be in splendid condition by the time the season opens. The rapid transit system will land passengers within five blocks of the ground."

Carl Green, the business manager of the Boston American league team, arrived in the city yesterday and was in conference with Henry Killilea. Reports received by him from Manager Collins are to the effect that the team is in good shape, although Parent's ankle still seems to be a trifle weak.

First Outdoor Work for Stagg's Men.

Tomorrow afternoon the followers of college baseball will have their first opportunity to get a line on the prospects of the University of Chicago team, when the applicants for positions appear in the opening practice game on Marshall field. All winter the candidates have been practicing in the cage in the Bartlett gymnasium, and the game scheduled will be the first work they will have done in the open. This game will give Coach Stagg and his assistant, Floyd Harper, an opportunity to compare the new men with the members of last year's team. The two teams have been dubbed the Fits and Misfits. Following is the lineup: Fits—Hilderbrand, 1b; Bezdek, 2b; Baird, 3b; Rooney, ss; Wright, lf; Sloan, cf; Smart, rf; Maxwell, Ellsworth, p; Jennison, Startzman, c. Misfits—F. Harper, 1b; Eckersall, 2b; Paul, 3b; Linn, ss; Yates, lf; Abbott, cf; Nowles, rf; Hitchcock, Howe, Stillman, p; McPherson, J. Harper, c.

Irwin to Coach Academy Team.

"Aleck" Irwin, assistant coach of last year's team, has been appointed baseball coach at Northwestern academy. Irwin is one of the Chicago Unions' old stars. Overy thirty preps have responded to the call for men.

Wisconsin to Play Haskell.

Madison, Wis., March 24.—[Special.]—Wisconsin will play the Haskell Indians at football at Milwaukee Oct. 15.

SHERIFF HOLDS UP COLTS.

CLIMBS ABOARD THE BALL PLAYERS' TRAIN AT RENO.

Claim for a Meal Bill at a Way Station Is Not Allowed by Manager Selee and the Team Moves Eastward—In Snow Blockade—Players Sore as Result of Wednesday's Game in Sacramento—Corridon's Trouble Is Returning in Mild Form.

Humboldt, Nev., March 24.—[Special.—After an argument with a Nevada sheriff over $9 and four hours spent blocked in snow sheds in the mountains, Selee and his Chicago 2 year olds reached here late this afternoon. They remained only long enough to eat their second meal of the day. Then they went on to Denver.

The Nevada sheriff tried to hold the baseball party up at Reno. He and one of his assistants climbed aboard the National leaguers' car there and demanded $9, saying the proprietor of a hotel at Truckee, where the ball players got their breakfast about noon, had phoned ahead that a meal had not been paid for, and that $9 was due. As the meal, and it was a meal in name only, had been paid for, there was nothing doing for the sheriff. He argued until the train pulled out.

Not far out of Sacramento the train ran into a fierce snow storm, and was stalled most of last night in snow sheds.

The party is due early tomorrow morning at Ogden, where Chance will rejoin the team.

Jake Weimer will leave the party at Ogden and go on to Denver by another route. The baseball train is due in that city at 10:50 Saturday morning. Weimer, Wicker, and Briggs, who pitched yesterday in the cold at Sacramento, are pretty stiff today. Corridon, however, is the lamest one in the bunch. His side is troubling him again, but it is not serious. He had a physician examine him just before leaving Sacramento.

Young Corbett is a hot favorite among the players for his fight with Britt tomorrow night. In a pool made on the train the only ones who took the Britt end were Manager Selee, O'Neil, and Graham. While in San Francisco nearly all of the 2 year olds went out to Corbett's training quarters to see the Denver lad work.

HOW NEW YORK GOT ITS TEAM.

President Hart Refutes Charges Concerning Alleged Effort to Help Giants Win the Pennant.

President James A. Hart says he would be glad to learn the identity of the anonymous writer signing himself "Old League Player," who intimated that the National league magnates were bent on giving New York a championship team for the sake of the revenue.

Said Mr. Hart yesterday: "If the writer of the letter in question is an old league ball player he ought to be ashamed of himself for villifying the source from which he probably made more money than he did in the rest of his life. Some people have harped upon Dahlen being traded to New York, but the facts are Hanlon in exchange for him got Babb and Cronin and $5,000 in addition. Aside from the fact that Babb is in the estimation of many competent critics fully as good as Dahlen, the temperament of the latter player must be taken into consideration. He outlived his usefulness in Brooklyn as he did in Chicago, and his disposition last year was inimical to the best interests of the team, and Hanlon was quite willing to make the change. The New York club, I know, paid $4,000 for Milligan and must have also paid liberally for Ames and Wiltse, although I do not know the amount. McCormick, the minor league player from Jersey City, was obtained at a figure which I believe to be the highest ever paid for a minor leaguer. I am quite friendly with Manager W. Murray and would have liked to secure McCormick myself, but he said New York had made him an offer which he could not refuse.

"If New York has gathered a strong team it has had to pay for it, and there is not the slightest foundation for the insinuation made by the anonymous correspondent.

"In all of the sixteen years I have attended the league meetings there has never been a suggestion made that the championship should be assisted to any city. The fact that Brooklyn and Baltimore, two of the poorest towns in the circuit, took the majority of the championships in the last ten years, speaks for itself. Statements of the kind made by 'Old League Player' are unqualifiedly false and made with malicious intent."

HANDICAPS FOR SOLDIER MEET.

President Herman Announces the Marks for First Regiment Event Tomorrow Night.

Handicaps for the First regiment's athletic meet tomorrow night were announced yesterday by President Herman of the soldier organization. As usual the First regiment athletes were given most of the scratch places.

The limit men in the forty yard dash, Gustafson and Duesing, received eight yards' handicap from Handicapper Du Plessis, while E. F. Larson of Central Y. M. C. A. and George Smith and W. Pemberton of the regiment are the scratch men starting from the two foot mark.

The handicaps:

Forty yard dash—E. F. Larson, George Smith, and W. Pemberton, two feet; F. J. Garrett, H. E. Kirby, R. W. Albertson, three feet; W. H. Spaulding, M. G. Circle, O. Ratcliff, Ed Hill, Walter Steffen, C. Neill, Otto Kaecke, M. L. Friedman, four feet; G. I. Conley, Russell Sparling, and L. H. Bremer, C. D. True, H. Sontag, Herman Nacke, D. H. Denmead, E. Maguire, R. W. Clark, Howard Tait, Roger Appleyard, five feet; Harvey Blair, Lester Pollard, W. J. Warner, Raymond Thorne, William Allen, G. Dickinson, Orville Cotton, C. Zimmerman, C. Kenney, G. R. Stevenson, L. A. Clapper, W. McGann, J. D. McGann, W. Uffendell, and Jerry Dillon, six feet; Harry Bishop, J. Vickery, T. T. Webster, P. M. Duesing, Tom Coyne, H. Kraft, and H. Ibson, seven feet; H. Gustafson and Harry Duesing, eight feet.

440 yard dash—George Smith, scratch; Lester Powell and A. E. Smith, 16 yards; M. G. Circle, H. J. Warren, and Ed Hill, 18 yards; M. H. Brown, F. L. Heintz, T. A. Edwards, 20 yards; H. Gustafson, L. H. Clapper, 22 yards; Walter Parker, G. R. Stevenson, C. F. Roberts, Harvard school, and Waldo Ferreira, 24 yards; L. H. Bremer, J. T. McGann, T. T. Webster, 26 yards; W. B. Raymond, R. W. Clark, J. Vickery, 28 yards; A. R. Arens, C. W. Hahn, 30 yards; J. P. Seger, W. E. Farrell, W. F. Wagner, 32 yards.

880 yard run—W. G. Uffendell, scratch; L. H. Powell, 25 yards; M. H. Brown, F. C. Holton, 30 yards; P. W. Upp, A. Thompson, Howard Tait, M. L. Friedman, 35 yards; A. F. Lindberg, L. H. Clapper, R. R. Kelly, J. J. Cherry, 40 yards; Lester Pollard, S. H. Hatch, W. N. Boller, 45 yards; Warren Holden, F. L. Heintz, and H. Nackle, 50 yards; W. Allen, G. D. Drickmoor, W. F. Wagner, H. O. Page, 55 yards.

Mile run—J. Lightbody, scratch; F. C. Holton, 20 yards; S. Fox, H. W. Anderson, 25 yards; P. W. Upp, 35 yards; G. J. Conley, A. A. Blomfeldt, 40 yards; D. M. Warren, L. L. Powell, 45 yards; Frank Gustafson, S. S. Wilson, F. J. Littleford, 50 yards; S. H. Hatch, L. P. Phillips, M. W. Hotchkins, 55 yards; L. Hatch, J. J. Moore, 60 yards; A. F. Schleuter, 65 yards; G. H. Chamberlain, 70 yards.

Two mile run—Floyd Rowe, scratch; W. R. Holton, S. H. Hatch, 90 yards; William Carroll, 95 yards; Joseph Shaffer, 200 yards.

High jump—Otto Kaecke, scratch; A. M. Sullivan, 1½ in.; E. F. Larson, 2 in.; M. H. Browne and T. A. Edwards, 2¼ in.; A. R. Arens, 3 in.; M. L. Friedman, 3½ in.; E. Thatcher, E. E. Utz, 4 in.; V. Dyer, J. Hardwicke, 4½ in.; Carl Watson, F. Y. Coyle, 5 in.; W. J. McLeod, P. M. Duesing, 6 in.

Pole vault—F. W. Albertson, scratch; E. Thatcher, E. W. Miller, 4 inches; H. I. Garrett, Victor Dyer, 5 inches; L. C. Wilkins, Harry W. Bishop, 6 inches.

Shot put—Harley Kirby, scratch; R. W. Maxwell, 10 inches; L. Turna, M. S. Catlin, E. E. Parry, 5 ft.; W. D. Graham, 6 ft. 6 in.; Ed Hill, 6 ft. 10 in.

HERRERA TO FIGHT "KID" ABEL.

Featherweights Will Clash at Battery D Show Tonight—Feltz and "Mississippi" in Semi-Final.

[BY GEORGE SILER.]

Aurelia Herrera, the Mexican, and "Kid" Abel, the local featherweight, will clash in the windup at the Battery D show tonight. The semi-final will enlist Tommy Feltz of Brooklyn and "Mississippi" of Philadelphia, a pair of hard hitting feathers. In the heavyweight division will be seen Jack Beauscholte and "Diamond Dick" Thorpy. Tommy Scully and Al Fellows at 114 pounds and "Kid" Williams and Harry Griffin at 133 pounds complete the card. All the contestants, with the exception of the heavyweights, will weigh in at 3 o'clock this afternoon. Should Herrera win tonight, which, of course, is expected, he will meet Abe Attel at the American Athletic club on Monday night.

The managers of the various boxing clubs met yesterday to devise ways and means whereby they can prevent constables from arresting fighters that are engaged in important events. After lengthy arguments they came to the conclusion to engage an attorney to keep the constables in check.

The much talked of match between "Buddy" Ryan and Jimmy Gardner will in all probability be clinched today.

Ten Fall in Steeplechase.

LONDON, March 24.—An extraordinary series of mishaps occurred during the Stanley steeplechase at Liverpool today. Ten horses started and they all fell. They began tumbling at the first fence and continued until only one, Glenmore, was left. Glenmore fell twice, but was pluckily remounted and finished alone. His rider came in covered with blood, and most of the other jockeys sustained injuries, some requiring stitches. Half the fences were demolished and must be rebuilt for the Grand National tomorrow. King Edward, who is the guest of the earl of Derby at Knowsley park, Prescot, will attend the Grand National to see his candidate, Ambush II., which is a warm favorite, run.

CORBETT MEETS BRITT TONIGHT.

Great Fight Is Expected Between the Pair at San Francisco.

CHAMPION IS FAVORITE.

He Has Had Trouble Getting Down to Weight—Big Crowd Assured.

Britt.	Measurements.	Corbett.
5 feet 6 inches	Height	5 feet 8 inches
66 inches	Reach	69 inches
34 inches	Chest (normal)	36½ inches
36½ inches	Chest (expanded)	38½ inches
33 inches	Chest (contracted)	34½ inches
16 inches	Neck	16¼ inches
29½ inches	Waist	32 inches
12½ inches	Biceps	13¼ inches
10⅜ inches	Forearm	11 inches
7 inches	Wrist	7 inches
22 inches	Thigh	22¼ inches
13¾ inches	Calf	13 inches
8½ inches	Ankle	9 inches

San Francisco, Cal., March 24.—[Special.]—Betting on the Corbett-Britt fight tomorrow night has been stationary all day at 10 to 6, with Corbett money most in evidence at the poolrooms.

That there is a preponderance of Corbett coin ever awaiting takers is not due to any lack of Britt following. Supporters of the San Francisco boy are small bettors, and it takes a large number of $5, $10, and $50 bets to cover the $1,000 offerings of the bookmakers and turfmen, who are wagering that Corbett will retain the championship. A number of Denver admirers of "Young" Corbett put in an appearance here today and wagered a neat sum on their choice. At the racetrack the champion was a 4 to 5 favorite until they began to unload and the slates were soon changed to read 11 to 20.

On this side of the bay there was also a distinct wave of favor for Corbett, and the price today was 10 to 6 against Britt's winning. It seems as if the odds are sure to fall still lower, as Britt money is not heavy enough to offset the heavy bets on Corbett. Britt weighed exactly 130¼ pounds today without doing any work, and, though looking a trifle spare, appeared strong, bright, and cheerful. Corbett continued to work, but is down near enough to weight to remove any doubt of his making 130 pounds easily tomorrow. Win or lose the champion will go directly to Chicago after the fight to meet "Young" Mowatt on April 1.

"Spider" Kelly will have charge of Britt's corner tomorrow night, while Harry Tuthill will command the forces of the champion.

Interest in the battle is at fever heat, and indications point to a packed house. In fact, it is doubtful if Woodward's pavilion will be large enough to accommodate the crowd.

When the match was arranged and Corbett demanded that Britt must meet him at 130 pounds, it was the consensus of opinion that Jimmy would have considerable trouble in making the weight and that Corbett would have an easy time of it. The reverse, however, seems to be the case, as the Denver lad worked like a Trojan today while Britt took matters easy. Despite the fact the featherweight champion may be compelled to work up to the weighing in time to save his weight forfeit, which may send him into the ring the weaker man, he still remains a topheavy favorite at 10 to 6, with little Britt money in sight.

That the battle will be hotly contested is assured, and if Corbett can enter the ring as strong as he was when he met Eddie Hanlon his supporters expect to see him win with a knockout. On the other hand, should he be a bit shy on condition, and should the battle go the full limit, a draw is anticipated. Britt is known to be a foxy fighter when it comes to stalling along, and will fight wholly on the defensive should he find Corbett too tough. Both boys are cool under punishment, but Corbett is the harder hitter and the better ring general, a combination which accounts for his favoritism in the betting.

AMERICA FIGHTERS' COUNTRY.

Mitchell Says That Pugilism in England Is Dead—Veteran Arrives in New York.

New York, March 24.—[Special.]—Charley Mitchell, England's former "boxing champion," arrived today from Liverpool incognito on the steamship Majestic. Mitchell is accompanied by his son, Charles Alexander Mitchell, a bright looking 16 year old, who looks like his noted dad. Mitchell came unexpectedly, but his reception at the pier when his presence became known was noisy.

Mitchell is not here to do any fighting. He said his presence in America was more for a visit than anything else. He is figuring on visiting the St. Louis fair.

Mitchell contrasted the prize fighters of the present day with those of the past. "There is a great difference," he said, "between the fighters today and those who fought with bare knuckles. The fighters today are better than the old timers. Why? Because they are more scientific and know how to train; and, again, they have opportunities to develop their abilities. They are better paid. They receive more for losing than pugilists of the old days did when they won. America is the real country for fighters. The game in England is dead."

GAMES IN BOWLING LEAGUES.

Pin Knights Lead Derbys in Second Series for the Special Prize in Chicago Tourney.

Pin Knights secured a lead of 164 pins in the second match of their series with the Derbys for the special Mussey prize in the Chicago league. Geroux's men, who led in the first series by ten pins, fell behind last night 174 pins. Collier led the Pin Knights with 213 2-3, A. Virden getting 205 2-3.

Pinzons in the Columbian Knights league averaged 962, Schmidt leading with 213 2-3. Scores:

CHICAGO.

Derbys.	1.	2.	3.	Pin Knights.	1.	2.	3.
Peterson	207	163	212	Flenner	194	161	168
Shogren	177	182	176	Gault	192	168	145
Stolke	184	161	195	Virden	224	182	211
Luedke	165	149	158	Collier	221	205	216
Geroux	191	192	168	Hemingw'y	196	170	203
Totals	924	847	909	Totals	1,027	886	941
Grand total, 2,680.				Grand total, 2,854.			

COLUMBIAN KNIGHTS.

Illinois.	1.	2.	3.	Pinzon.	1.	2.	3.
Bramm	144	154	149	Hall	184	206	178
Waltman	147	160	172	Howley	194	142	190
Reimer	146	178	205	Johnson	183	192	159
Regan	145	139	149	Coughlin	205	192	210
Moritz	165	173	155	Schmidt	212	205	224
Handicap	93	93	93	Handicap	18	18	18
Totals	840	897	923	Totals	1,006	955	979

Oriental	756	783	733	Olympia	878	904	867
Standards	819	921	914	Jan Huss	880	796	803
NORTH CHICAGO.							
Ben Alls	915	826	809	Websters	763	871	821
Onwards	805	929	838	Standards	865	852	917
BANKERS'.							
First Natl.	874	824	825	Chicago	914	782	719
NIGHT HAWK.							
Hot Slugs	849	731	850	Durkins	810	802	732
LAKE VIEW.							
Rivals	918	827	826	Perfectos	808	781	807
MADISON.							
Western's	938	987	888	Harrisons	879	909	838
WEST SIDE BUSINESS MEN'S LEAGUE.							
F. Dusters	863	853	801	Allis-C's	1025	911	879
GARFIELD PARK.							
Connerys	841	830	849	Crawfords	754	856	766
FIRST REGIMENT.							
Com. I.	914	866	822	Com. F.	711	814	799
McCORMICK.							
Constru'n	741	853	766	Blacks'h	599	685	784

BENSINGER INDIVIDUAL.

Munger	192	189	181	178	177	—917
Lipman	124	154	147	157	148	—730
Munger	152	201	184	173	170	—880
Green	203	168	169	173	200	—911
Green	164	166	188	140	186	—844
Collier	192	232	222	234	159	—1,039
Pasdeloup	178	176	196	187	162	—899
Turnbull	212	173	203	210	184	—984

Cardinals Defeat Galveston Team.

Galveston, Tex., March 24.—[Special.]—Nichols' St. Louis cardinals defeated the Galveston league team today by a score of 8 to 3. St. Louis is in fine shape and played snappy ball, while the locals played like wooden men. The teams will play again tomorrow.

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DEATHS.

Marriage or death notices will be cabled in condensed form, without extra charge, for publication in the Paris edition of the New York Herald, if advertisers so request, by writing on their notices when handing them in: "Cable to the New York Herald European edition."

IN MEMORIAM.

BALDWIN—In memory of Alonzo M. Baldwin, who departed this life March 24, 1903.

KASCH—In memory of our mother, Sophia Kasch, who died March 24, 1903.

Angus, James.
Bisland, Jack.
Brainard, Alice Bernice.
Brennan, William J.
Brown, Hannah.
Brundage, James.
Cary, Eugene.
Crandall, Chester Delos.
Coan, Officer M. D.
Cullerton, Patrick H.
Cunningham, Ellen.
Dale, John Clinton.
De Long, Mrs. Jennie.
Dewitz, Jacob.
Doyle, John T.
Durkin, John.
Felton, Jane.
Field, Mrs. Ellephere.
Flanagan, Mollie.
Gleason, William J.
Goldsmith, Anna S.
Harty, Edward M.
Horan, Alice.
Hawes, Miss Lena.
Keefe, Margaret.
Kramer, Richard John.
Lang, Frank C.
Leahy, Michael.
Levi, Matilda.
Major, Elizabeth J.
Mitchell, Sara.
McCullough, Patrick.
O'Rourke, John.
Pabst, Clara Mary.
Platner, John.
Pullerton, Patrick H.
Schiessle, Walter R.
Shaver, Catherine L.
Sovereign, Dr. C. W.
Stock, James H.
Westberg, Peter A.
Wiemelt, Katherina.
Wightman, Isabelle.

ANGUS—James, husband of Mrs. James Angus. Funeral from 67 E. Chicago-av., March 25, by carriages to Oakwoods.

BISLAND—At Chicago, March 24, after a short illness, Jack Bisland, aged 46 years. Funeral private. New York and New Orleans papers please copy.

BRAINARD—Alice Bernice, beloved daughter of Louis J. and Grace Edna Brainard [nee Stepler], aged 1 year 8 months, March 24. Funeral notice hereafter.

BRENNAN—William J., son of John A. and Susan Brennan, aged 14 years, at 1176 Tripp-av. Funeral notice later.

BROWN—Hannah [nee Mahoney], aged 72 years, Thursday morning, March 24, 1904; native of County Cork, Ireland, widow of the late Edward W. Brown, and mother of Edward W., James H., John T., and George F. Brown. Funeral Saturday, 9 a. m., from late residence, 152 Clifton-av., to St. Vincent's church, thence by carriages to Calvary. Milwaukee and Boston papers please copy.

BRUNDAGE—James, beloved husband of Elizabeth Brundage [nee Fitzgibbons]. Funeral Sunday, March 27, at 10 a. m., from his late residence, 75 E. 31st-st., Polk-st. depot, thence to Mount Greenwood.

CARY—Eugene, at St. Louis, March 22, aged 69 years, late captain of Company H, First Wisconsin infantry, and member of George H. Thomas Post No. 5, department of Illinois Grand Army of the Republic. Funeral from his late residence, 2536 Prairie-av., Friday, March 25, at 2 p. m.

CRANDALL—Chester Delos, beloved husband of Lizzie L. Crandall, at the Virginia Hotel, March 22. Funeral from Church of the Atonement, Kenmore and Hollywood-avs., Edgewater, 3 p. m., Friday, March 25. Burial private.

COAN—Officer Michael D. Coan, beloved husband of Nellie Coan [nee Steele], father of Rose Coan, son of the late Patrick and Mary Coan, brother of Mary, Joseph, Edward Coan. Funeral from his late residence, 3213 Center-av., Sunday, at 9 a. m., to St. Bridget's church, thence by carriages to Calvary. Member of Police Benevolent association, and Division 13, A. O. H.

CULLERTON—Patrick H., husband of the late Catherine. Funeral March 26, at 9:30 a. m., from 517 W. 12th-st., to Holy Family church, thence by cars to Calvary.

CUNNINGHAM—Ellen, wife of the late William Cunningham. Funeral from 422 Paulina-st., Saturday, 9:15 a. m., to St. Charlotte's church, carriages to Mount Carmel.

DALE—John Clinton, aged 4 months, son of John Clinton and Mary M. Dale. Funeral Friday, 10:30 a. m., from 1245 Jackson-blvd.

DE LONG—Mrs. Jennie, wife of Allen De Long, aged 46 years. Funeral from 1477 33d-st., March 25, at 10 a. m., by carriages to Forest Home.

DEWITZ—Jacob, March 22, husband of Mary Dewitz. Funeral March 26, Peotone, Ill.

DOYLE—John T., son of Patrick and Catherine Doyle. Funeral March 25, from 3708 Emerald-av., at 9 a. m., to Church of Nativity, thence by carriages to Calvary.

DURKIN—John, 129 Townsend-st., beloved husband of Hannah Durkin [nee O'Brien], and brother of Mrs. John Gibbons, Mrs. Anna Connors, and Martin Durkin, member of Division 8, A. O. H. Funeral from late residence, 9 a. m., to Holy Name Cathedral, where high mass will be celebrated, thence by carriages to Calvary.

FELTON—Jane, March 23, beloved wife of Wm. H. Felton and mother of the late Wm. H. Jr., Harry J., Thomas J., Albert P., George C., Charles Edward, Lillian M., and Arthur W. H. Felton, aged 58 years 2 months and 13 days. Funeral Sunday at 2:30 p. m. from her late residence, 387 Wells-st., to the Church of the Ascension, to Rosehill. "A true wife and an affectionate mother gone to rest." St. Louis and London, England, papers please copy.

FIELD—Mrs. Ellephere, aged 75, March 24, at 3867 Ellis-av. Interment at Berrien Springs, Mich.

FLANAGAN—On March 23, 1904, Mollie Flanagan, nee Cahill, beloved wife of Charles Flanagan, at residence, 816 Flournoy-st. Funeral Saturday, at 10 a. m., from Lady of Sorrows' church, thence by carriages to Mount Carmel.

GLEASON—William J., beloved husband of the late Mary Gleason [nee Grannan] and brother of Mary Gleason and the late Daniel F. Gleason, and Margaret Zohowsky, native of Cashel, Tipperary, Ireland, at residence, 211 S. Center-av. Funeral notice later. Member of the B. and M. I. U. of Chicago.

GOLDSMITH—Anna S., March 23, 1231 Harrison-st. Funeral March 25, 1 p. m.; interment at Rosehill.

HARTY—Edward Michael, March 21, aged 63 years, brother of the late William J. and Michael and Timothy Harty, and Julia Brady. Funeral Saturday, March 27, at 9:30 a. m., to St. Charles' church, from the residence of his late brother, William J. Harty, 976 W. Harrison-st., thence to Calvary by carriages.

HAWES—March 20, 1904, Miss Lena Hawes, at Elgin, Ill.

HORAN—Alice, beloved wife of Michael J. Horan, mother of Mrs. B. S. Cooban and Charles F. Horan, at residence, 2190 Congress-st. Notice of funeral later. Member of Division 36, L. A. to B. of L. E.; Loretta Court No. 43, W. C. O. F.; St. Ignatius Branch C. K. and L. of A.; March Hive No. 136, L. O. T. M. Hornellsville [N. Y.] and Brandon [Pa.] papers please copy.

KEEFE—Margaret, wife of the late William Keefe. Funeral Friday; burial at Calvary; private.

KRAMER—Richard John, son of O. A. and Kate Kramer, aged 19 months. Funeral from 20 Central-av., River Forest, Friday, 10:30 a. m., March 25.

LANG—Frank C., aged 50 years, beloved husband of Christina Lang, brother of Clara, Conrad, Gertrude, Jummrich, and Leopolina Lang. Funeral Sunday, 2 p. m., from late residence, 5213 Dearborn-st., by carriages to Oakwoods.

LEAHY—Michael, beloved husband of Honora [nee McInerny], father of James, John, Joseph, Margaret, and the late Mary Leahy. Funeral from his late residence, 1695 W. 12th-st., Saturday, at 9:30 a. m., to St. Agatha's church, thence by Carriages to Calvary.

LEVI—Matilda, beloved wife of Richard Levi, and sister of Max, David, William, and Leopold Harlsberg, at her residence, 3753 Rhodes-av., March 24, 1904. Funeral from late residence, 12 o'clock, Friday, to Mount Maariv.

MAJOR—Elizabeth J., second daughter of the late Dr. L. S. Major. Funeral Friday, 2 p. m., from residence, 312 Baird-av., Austin.

MITCHELL—Sara, at Diamond Lake, Ill., aged 13 years. Funeral Saturday, 1:30 p. m., from Diamond Lake, Ill.

McCULLOUGH—Patrick. Funeral March 25, from 2297 W. 38th-st., to Sag Bridge.

O'ROURKE—John, March 23, aged 33 years. Funeral March 26, 11 a. m., from 175 La Salle-av., to Holy Name church, thence by cars to Mount Carmel.

PABST—Clara Mary, at 2161 N. Marshfield-av., aged 17 years, daughter of Frederick and Augusta Pabst. Funeral March 26, at 9:30, to St. Andrew's church, thence by carriages to St. Boniface.

PLATNER—John, formerly of New Berry hotel, March 24, 1904, of pneumonia. Services Saturday, at 2:30 p. m., from Arntzen's funeral chapel, 247 N. Clark-st. Interment private at Oakwoods cemetery. Milwaukee papers copy.

PULLERTON—Patrick H., husband of the late Catherine [nee Lynch], beloved father of James, Julia, John, Thomas, Nellie, Martin, Mrs. P. S. Kelly, and the Rev. Brother Ambroise Michael. Funeral Saturday, March 26, at 9:30 a. m., from late residence, 517 W. 12th-st., to Holy Family church, then by cars to Calvary, by way of C., M. & St. P. railway.

SCHIESSLE—Walter R., aged 25 years 2 months, 11 a. m., March 23, only and beloved brother of Mrs. Clara Scheffel, Mrs. Martha Kaiser, Mrs. Henry Weiss, and Laura Schiessle. Funeral Friday, 2 p. m., from late residence, 14 West Montana-st.

SHAVER—Catherine L., March 23, wife of John Shaver. Funeral from 6942 Aberdeen-st., Saturday at 9 a. m., to St. Bernard's church, by cars to Mount Olivet.

SOVEREIGN—Dr. C. W., March 22, at 5247 Indiana-av., aged 54 years. Funeral at 10 a. m. Friday.

STOCK—James H., son of Patrick and Ellen, 8 a. m., March 23, at 377 25th-st. Funeral notice later.

WESTBERG—Peter A., March 24, aged 59 years, beloved husband of Georgiana F., and father of Eleanor, Albert, Fred, Florence, and Frank. Funeral Sunday, at 1:30, from late residence, 363 W. 67th, to Bethel church, 66th and Sangamon-sts. Interment at Oakwoods.

WIEMELT—Katherina, aged 74 years, wife of the late John Weimelt. Funeral Friday, 11 a. m., from 5826 Princeton-av., to St. Martin's Catholic church, by train to St. Mary's.

WIGHTMAN—Isabelle, daughter of Andrew and Catherine Wightman, aged 23 years, March 23. Funeral from 2004 Wilcox-av., at 9:30 a. m., to St. Mel's church, thence by carriages to Oak Ridge.

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OFFICIAL WEATHER FORECAST.

OFFICE OF CHIEF OF WEATHER BUREAU, Washington, D. C., March 24.—Forecast for Friday and Saturday:

Illinois and Indiana—Showers and colder Friday, Saturday fair, brisk northwest winds.

Ohio—Showers Friday, colder in southwest portion, Saturday fair and colder, brisk south winds becoming westerly.

Lower Michigan—Showers Friday, warmer in east portion, Saturday fair and colder, brisk south-east winds becoming northwesterly.

Upper Michigan—Rain Friday, warmer in east portion, Saturday snow and much colder, brisk east shifting to west winds.

Missouri—Fair in west, showers in east portion, colder Friday, Saturday fair.

Wisconsin—Snow and much colder Friday, Saturday fair, brisk south shifting to west winds.

Iowa—Fair and colder Friday, Saturday fair.

Minnesota—Snow and much colder Friday, Saturday fair, brisk northwest winds.

Nebraska—Fair Friday, colder in south portion, Saturday fair, warmer in west portion.

South Dakota and North Dakota—Fair Friday and Saturday, warmer Saturday.

Place of observation. Time taken: March 24, 8 p. m.	Thermometer	Max. temp.	Direction of wind	Precipitation 24 hours	State of weather
Abilene	78	86	S.W.	....	Fair
Albany	48	54	S.	....	Clear
Alpena	36	36	S.E.	....	Clo'dy
Atlanta	52	62	S.E.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Amarillo	62	68	S.W.	....	Clo'dy
Battleford	10	12	N.	....	Clo'dy
Bismarck	10	34	N.W.	.20	Snow
Buffalo	56	58	S.	....	Clo'dy
Boston	46	56	S.	....	Clear
Cairo	72	74	S.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Calgary	4	12	N.E.	.04	Clo'dy
Charlotte	62	64	E.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Cheyenne	28	34	N.W.	....	Fair
Chicago	64	64	S.	.64	Rain
Cincinnati	70	76	S.E.	Tr.	Fair
Cleveland	58	64	S.E.	....	Fair
Concordia	52	76	N.	Tr.	Clear
Davenport	62	62	....	.60	Clo'dy
Denver	40	44	N.W.	....	Clo'dy
Des Moines	54	56	N.W.	.30	Clo'dy
Detroit	54	54	S.E.	....	Clo'dy
Dodge	60	70	N.E.	....	Clear
Dubuque	52	54	S.E.	.76	Clo'dy
Duluth	34	36	N.E.	.32	Clo'dy
El Paso	68	70	S.W.	....	Clo'dy
Edmonton	14	16	....	....	....
Escanaba	36	40	S.E.	.12	Rain
Galveston	70	76	S.	....	Clo'dy
Grand Rapids	52	54	S.E.	....	Clo'dy
Green Bay	40	44	S.	.22	Rain
Havre	4	6	N.W.	.26	Snow
Helena	4	12	N.	.08	Clo'dy
Huron	18	58	W.	.02	Fair
Indianapolis	70	72	S.	....	Clo'dy
Jacksonville	64	78	N.E.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Kansas City	56	66	N.W.	2.04	Clear
Lander	26	34	N.E.	.02	Clear
Little Rock	78	80	S.E.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Los Angeles	52	58	S.W.	.01	Clo'dy
Marquette	42	46	S.E.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Memphis	78	78	S.	....	Clo'dy
Medicine Hat	6	6	N.W.	.10	Snow
Milwaukee	40	40	S.E.	.08	Rain
Minnedosa	10	16	N.	.04	Clo'dy
Montgomery	78	84	S.	....	Clo'dy
Montreal	36	40	N.E.	....	Fair
Moorhead	30	46	S.W.	.10	Clo'dy
New Orleans	74	84	S.	Tr.	Clear
New York City	44	58	S.E.	....	Clear
Norfolk	46	52	N.E.	.17	Clo'dy
North Platte	42	58	N.W.	....	Clear
Omaha	40	60	N.W.	.30	Clear
Oklahoma	74	80	S.W.	.01	Fair
Oswego	46	50	S.E.	....	Clear
Palestine	78	82	S.	....	Clo'dy
Parkersburg	64	68	S.E.	.04	Clear
Philadelphia	48	62	S.E.	....	Clear
Pittsburg	58	64	S.E.	....	Fair
Pueblo	50	54	S.W.	....	Clear
Qu'Appelle	4	4	N.E.	.70	Snow
Rapid City	16	28	N.W.	....	Clear
San Francisco	50	50	W.	.38	Clear
St. Louis	70	70	S.	Tr.	Clo'dy
St. Paul	46	48	S.E.	.24	Rain
Salt Lake City	38	38	S.	.18	Clo'dy
San Antonio	80	90	S.E.	....	Clear
Ste. Marie	38	42	S.E.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Springfield, Ill	66	70	N.	.06	Rain
Springfield, Mo	60	70	S.W.	.28	Clo'dy
Vicksburg	78	82	S.	Tr.	Fair
Washington	56	62	S.E.	....	Clo'dy
White River	44	44	S.	....	Clo'dy
Wichita	60	74	N.	1.94	Fair
Winnipeg	22	26	N.	.04	Snow

WEATHER IN CHICAGO.

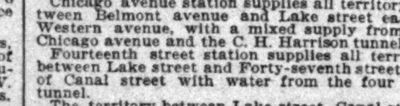
The temperature as observed yesterday by L. Manasse, optician, 88 E. Madison-st., was as follows: Thermometer—8 a. m., 43 degrees above zero; 9 a. m., 44; 10 a. m., 44; 11 a. m., 47; 12 m., 48; 1 p. m., 50; 3 p. m., 52; 6 p. m., 60. Barometer—8 a. m., 29.60; 6 p. m., 29.20.

OFFICIAL DEATH RECORD.

THE FOLLOWING BURIAL PERMITS WERE issued yesterday by the health department:

Armantrout, Blanche, 16; 75 E. 32d-st., March 21.
Burger, Mary, 47; 3815 Cottage Grove-av., March 22.
Billig, Anna M., 65; 11818 Yale-av., March 22.
Barth, Herman, 40; 77 Gardener-st., March 21.
Booker, Helen, 33; 3003 Fifth-av., March 22.
Bautz, Gottlieb, 49; 252 Kinzie-st., March 16.
Brower, William R., 8 months; 963 N. Francisco-av., March 21.
Curtis, Patrick, 50; 205 Clybourn-pl., March 20.
Charley, Bridget, 84; Orleans and Cedar-sts., March 22.
Casey, Andrew, 57; 717 S. Sawyer-av., March 21.
Conly, William, 49; 83 Clark-st., March 9.
Curtis, Fletcher, 8 months; 14 Ashland-blvd., March 22.
Chambers, Aline E., 29; 560 Lawndale-av., March 22.
De Lon, Jennie, 46; 1477 33d-st., March 23.
Dale, John C., 4; 1245 Jackson-blvd., March 22.
Dodge, baby, 2 months; Presbyterian hospital, March 22.
Deane, Everett, 61; Cook County Insane asylum, March 11.
Duke, John, 41; 1223 State-st., March 16.
Dolezal, Alice, 10 days; 9 Block A, Fulton-st., March 26.
Evans, Elizabeth, 75; 243 Kinzie-st., March 17.
Fitzhenry, P. P., 64; 3104 S. Park-av., March 21.
Frey, Louise, 62; 72 Emma-st., March 23.
Hurchey, Charles F., 10 months; 532 Washburne-av., March 22.
Hartzell, Louisa, 61; 4275 S. Leavitt-st., March 22.
Jednohowski, Joseph, 66; 81 High-st., March 21.
Johnson, Robert, 35; 736 Sherman-st., March 9.
Johnson, Harold S., 4 months; 88 N. Washtenaw-av., March 22.
Kaufman, Jacob, 41; 311 E. North-av., March 21.
Kelley, John, 42; 341 E. 75th-st., March 22.
Kowalewska, Eva, 58; 159 Blackhawk-st., March 23.
Lindsey, Minnie M., 13; 148 Sangamon-st., March 22.
Longfield, Francis E., 36; 219 Walnut-st., March 22.
Luiker, William, 53; 154 Michigan-st., March 10.
Larson, Andrew, 47; 866 N. Rockwell-st., March 21.
Levandowske, Joseph A., 8 months; 173 W. 22d-pl., March 22.
Moffatt, William S., 40; Wesley hospital, March 23.
McBride, Francis, 63; 659 W. 47th-st., March 22.
March, August R., 45; 1099 W. North-av., March 21.
Marchisi, Frank W., 71; 227 E. 29th-st., March 22.
Moon, Albert K., 38; 1366 Fulton-st., March 21.
McLaren, Hugh, 71; Cook County Insane asylum, March 12.
Murpa, John, 70; 82 Elburn-av., March 22.
Miller, Anna M., 56; 6976 Vernon-av., March 22.
Meriman, Enoch, 72; 1332 Madison-st., March 21.
Martin, Marie, 22; 289 W. Ohio-st., March 21.
Mustani, Dominick, 23; 457 Clark-st., March 13.
McVeigh, Anna, 47; 1155 47th-st., March 22.
Neidorf, Herman, 78; Cook County Insane asylum, March 14.
Nordstrom, Leslie, 3; 1292 W. 22d-st., March 23.
Nevsinral, Anton, 20; 733 Loomis-st., March 20.
Pabst, Clara, 17; 2161 N. Marshfield-av., March 23.
Pickens, Joe, 24; 510 State-st., March 24.
Perkins, Julia A., 45; 944 E. Garfied-bvd., March 22.
Potz, William, 65; Cook County infirmary, March 16.
Riley, James, 47; 103 State-st., March 16.
Reuter, Theodor, 17; 337 N. Ashland-av., March 23.
Silvey, Frank, 28; 153 W. Monroe-st., March 21.
Schuel, Theodore, 76; 42 Throop-st., March 22.
Steinberg, Rachel, 50; 1079 W. Polk-st., March 20.
Sheehan, George N., 42; 292 E. Erie-st., March 22.
Spirikewic, Stanislav, 4; 2493 W. 38th-pl., March 22.
Saubie, Francis D., 2 months; 2224 39th-st., March 22.
Smith, Louis, 67; 1341 State-st., March 17.
Swiecki, Wladisla, 11 months; 3156 Muspratt-st., March 23.
Schorey, Helen, 26; 240 Clinton-av., Oak Park, March 23.
Stryker, Mildred, 6; 2435 Ashland-av., March 23.
Schuster, Josef, 70; 234 Illinois-st., March 22.
Sherr, Ida, 34; 6223 Center-av., March 21.
Stein, Isaac, 44; 1153 Lexington-st., March 19.
Shann, Charles, 78; 4352 Emerald-av., March 22.
Schiessle, Walter, 25; 14 Montana-st., March 23.
Vaughan, John, 65; 162 S. Clark-st., March 20.
Vionne, Clifford, 78; 1228 Van Buren-st., March 22.
Wilson, Fannie, 33; 6501 Halsted-st., March 23.
Welse, August, 74; 127 N. Desplaines-st., March 18.
Warner, James, 3; 3712 Emerald-av., March 22.
Wagner, Laura V., 39; St. Joseph's hospital, March 23.
Ziegler, Ottillia J., 67; 540 Otto-st., March 22.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT ON WATER.



C. H. Harrison crib and Harrison street station, bad; Rogers Park, no sample.

The Harrison street pumping station is near Halsted and Harrison streets.

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Fourteenth street station supplies all territory between Lake street and Forty-seventh street east of Canal street with water from the four mile tunnel.

The territory between Lake street, Canal street, Forty-seventh street, and Western avenue is supplied by a mixture from Carter H. Harrison, Chicago avenue, and four mile tunnels, by stations at Harrison street and Twenty-second street.

The territory between Belmont avenue and Forty-seventh street, west of Western avenue to the city limits, except Austin, is supplied from the Carter H. Harrison tunnel by stations at Springfield avenue and Central Park avenue.

FOREIGN MAIL SCHEDULE.

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MARRIAGE LICENSES.

THE COUNTY CLERK ISSUED PERMITS TO wed to the following couples yesterday, the parties living in Chicago where no place of residence is given:

Names	Age.
Edward Dackerman, Emma Bussian	21—19
Robert C. Millwood Jr., Catherine Donovan	21—17
James Francis Martin, May Fraser	23—19
Sam J. Mitchell, Ella Dean Coleman	28—23
Arthur A. Krider, Chicago Heights, Ill., Dorothea M. Davis	24—19
George Wirth, Marie Frost	30—24
Arthur L. Fish, Rose Tarnow	22—19
Herman Engstrand, Fannie Peterson	22—18
Delix Reed, Nora Robinson	24—21
Jons Peter Ohlquist, Christine Johnson	36—26
Kellogg Speed, Bertha Adelaide Brown	25—21
Henry Schuneman, Schaumburg, Ill., Minnie Niemeyer	22—19
Charles H. Meyer, Elsie Schmidt	23—17
John Anderson, Ravenswood, Ill., Anna Swanson	36—33
Martin Fischer, Bertha Muller	30—30
John Smith, Giovanna Capolda	55—35
Michael Derosa, Filomena Muscardell	25—17
Arthur Pohley, Ida Nimtz	30—21
George J. Braun, Louise J. Peterson	35—31
Will Halsey, Fannie Sanford	32—32
D. H. Ward Wilson, Edith A. Roberts	29—23
Charles Verspelle, Amy Goos	34—32
Frank Allin Anderson, Minnie Adalie Anderson	21—22
Benjamin Abrahams, Sigrid Goodmansen	25—24
Gustav Fraedtke, Helena Boettcher	26—19
Harold J. Palmer, Josephine V. Newman	21—20
William Singleton, Crystal Lake, Ill., Pearl Nevlin	33—26
Bernard Keller, Mary Blanche Hall	21—17
John Carlson, Carrie Mortensen	42—42
Andrew Sorenson, Anna Larsen	20—20
Leo E. Pfau, Minnie Prieske	25—20
Marion F. Strode, Anna Summers	29—23
James Garfield Fortier, Ellen Boyle	22—20
Edward Richard, Mary McDonald	32—32
Enock Hoehn, Emma Wenzel	34—29
William Ziegler, Lisette Strigl	21—18
Frank J. Brinke, Katherine Blank	21—19
Paul Vanderbok, Christine Miller	22—21
Charles Jones, Susan Wallace	28—25
William Marquardt, Bertha Zeirk	21—19
Robert F. Milne, Margarette F. Laytor	41—40
August Czirotko, Agnes Petr	36—35

NEW INCORPORATIONS.

THE SECRETARY OF STATE AT SPRINGfield yesterday licensed the following corporations:

Globe Brewing company, Chicago; $200,000; brewing beer and manufacturing malt; incorporators, Major McGregor, Charles C. Johnston, Frederick E. Von Ammon.

Henry Water company, Chicago; operate a system of water works at Henry, Ill.; Fred J. Haake, Elmer Brothers, Sidney S. Gorham.

Henry E. Weaver Coal company, Chicago; $125,000; mine coal; Henry E. Weaver, W. S. Chapin, M. B. Wells.

Latchford Machine company, Chicago; $50,000; manufacturing machinery and patented articles; Joseph M. Griffin, Warren Nichols, Harry A. Warren.

S. Lundin company, Chicago; $2,500; manufacturing wearing apparel; Robert E. Hamilton, Charles S. Hamilton, George H. Grussing.

Fisk & Losley company, Moline; $50,000; general mercantile business; A. P. Fisk, G. M. Losley, E. L. Nordgren.

Not for profit:

Hillside Sporting club, Chicago; social; Otto Bischoff, Louis Russow, Fred Marotzke.

Chicago Feed Dealers' association, Chicago; mutual protection; William Wittman, William Kemper, William Rotsted.

Hay Receivers' Association of Chicago, Chicago; mutual protection; Hector L. Randall, George S. Bridge, John G. Walters.

Najslodszego Serca Jezcisa, Chicago; benevolent; Wojciech Czyzykowski, Walenty Boza, Bazyl Rutkowski.

Drahonovsky Motor company, Chicago; name changed to Chicago Machine and Motor works.

Illinois Woolen and Cotton Manufacturing company, Chicago; capital stock decreased from $25,000 to $13,500.

Hillside Sporting club, Chicago; dissolved.

Reynolds Coal company, Chicago; dissolved.

Schmidt & Schultz company, Chicago; name changed to Schmidt & Geisler Piano company.

Telephone Publishing company, Chicago; capital stock increased from $10,000 to $50,000.

Eastern Illinois Brick company, Beecher; capital stock increased from $25,000 to $50,000.

Sam J. Gorman company, Chicago; name changed to Gorman-Downey company; capital stock increased from $2,500 to $10,000.

Metallic Tension Building company, Chicago; name changed to Chicago Builders' Specialties company.

Chicago Glide company, Chicago; name changed to Glue Manufacturers' Sales company; capital stock increased from $25,000 to $50,000.

P. F. Pettibone company, Chicago; capital stock increased from $150,000 to $300,000.

Page & Lequatte, Chicago; name changed to Page Advertising company.

Rockford Clothing company, Rockford; capital stock decreased from $60,000 to $30,000.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—REWARD.
Between Chamber of Commerce Bldg. and Virginia Hotel, Thursday afternoon, March 24, gun metal watch, with gold monogram on back and gold chain and pendant. LIBERAL REWARD and ABSOLUTELY NO QUESTIONS. Chain and pendant valued as keepsakes. REWARD of double pawnbrokers' or "fence" value. Communicate with B H 418, Tribune office.

LOST—2 OPERA GLASSES IN BLACK AND green silk bag, in or near Auditorium Annex; description, one gold and pearl, marked H. A. C.; the other red enamel; $20 reward if returned to 808 Ashland Block or cashier Auditorium Annex. Positively no questions asked.

FOUND—MARCH 24, 1904, LADY'S RING, AT Rock Island station. Owner can have same by calling at 1100, 184 La Salle-st., describing ring, and paying for this notice.

LOST—GOLD BROOCH, FLOWER SHAPED, diamond center. Return for reward to E. F. WAITE, 269 Wabash-av.

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LEGAL NOTICES AND PROPOSALS.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States, for the Northern District of Illinois. In re John Fellmann. In bankruptcy. 10,378.

The undersigned receiver, by virtue of an order entered by said court on March, the 22d, 1904, will receive bids for the stock of liquors, cash register, glassware, all the fixtures, cigars, steam plant, etc., contained in the saloon at 452 Wells-st., Chicago, Illinois. An inventory of the property can be seen either at the office of the undersigned or at the office of the clerk of the United States District court, in the Monadnock Block, Chicago, Ill.

Bids should be left at the office of the undersigned not later than 9 o'clock a. m., March 25th, 1904, and such bids should be accompanied by a certified check for 25 per cent of the total amount bid. All bids will be reported to said court before his honor, Judge C. C. Kohlsaat, at 10 o'clock a. m., the 25th day of March, 1904.

WILLIAM F. ZIBELL,
Room 910, 100 Washington-st., Chicago, Ill.
Receiver of John Fellmann, bankrupt.
GREGORY, POPPENHUSEN & McNAB,
Attorneys for Receiver.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT AT A MEETing of the stockholders of the De Kalb & Great Western Railway company, held in Chicago, Ill., on March 16, 1904, the stockholders of said corporation adopted the following resolution amending its articles of incorporation:

"It is also proposed to acquire by construction, purchase, lease, or otherwise, or partly by construction and partly by lease or otherwise, a line of railway from some point of junction with the Chicago Great Western railway in Ogle county to the City of Peoria, in Peoria county, passing through Ogle, Lee, Bureau, Putnam, Marshall, Woodford, and Tazewell counties, with branches to coal mines and other industries, all in the State of Illinois; also to extend the present line in the same manner from De Kalb to a connection with the above described line in Lee county, passing through De Kalb and Lee counties, all in the State of Illinois."

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GEO. RITTER	69th-st., W., 450.
F. C. CADY	69th-st., W., 601.
E. S. HOUTS	71st-st., W., 428.
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F. A. THAYER	Madison-st., W., 572.
E. M. POWELL	Madison-st., W., 690.
M. U. MASOR	Madison-st., W., 785.
H. R. GILLESPIE	Madison-st., W., 824.
MILTON C. SMUCKER	Madison, W., & Oakley.
J. A. JOHNSON	Madison-st., W., 1049.
C. A. THAYER	Madison-st., W., 1249.
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H. REUTER	Madison, W., & 40th-av.
C. A. FISCHER	Madison, W., & 42d-av.
A. H. SCHROEDER	Maplewood-av., N., 719.
D. GEYMER	Milwaukee-av., 232.
HOTTINGER DRUG CO.	Milwaukee-av., 465.
MILWAUKEE-AV. PH.	Milwaukee-av., 581.
XELOWSKI DRUG CO.	Milwaukee-av., 709.
GEO. REMUS	Milwaukee-av., 952.
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O. G. HALLER	Milwaukee-av., 1240.
UPTON PHARMACY	Milwaukee-av., 1488.
OTTO J. HARTWIG	Milwaukee-av., 1570.
MOYEN BROS	Milwaukee-av., 1596.
MAX DOBBRATZ	Milwaukee-av., 1751.
CHAS. A. BERTRAM	Milwaukee-av., 1901.
GEO. H. DE WITZ	Milwaukee-av., 2404.
WOHLD & WERTHMAN	North-av., W., 749.
C. R. GRUENER	North-av., W., 859.
W. G. KREITER	North-av., W., 887.
HENRY SCHAPER	North-av., W., 1369.
KAPPUS BROS.	North-av., W., 1688.
J. G. ADE	Ogden-av., 197.
L. DEGEN	Ogden-av., 296.
C. F. BROWN	Ogden-av., 360.
J. A. STEWART	Ogden-av., 473.
E. W. WILSON	Ogden-av. & Taylor-st.
FARRAR'S PHAR.	Ogden-av., 987.
H. H. CRAWSHAW	Ogden-av., 1389.
R. VOGE	Ogden-av., 1506.
C. C. THIEL	Ogden-av., 1629.
M. I. ISGRIG	Park-av., N., 153.
F. S. WILSON	Taylor, W., & Center.
S. ARONSON	Taylor, W., & Loomis.
EDWIN S. BERNARD	Taylor, W., & Robey.
J. ROBIN	Taylor & Paulina-sts.
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METROPOLITAN PHAR	Marshfield & V. Buren.
J. C. RUSCH	V. Buren, W., & Robey.
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H. GIDDINGS	Van Buren-st., 1035.
F. H. KELLETT	V. Buren & Francisco.
SCHROEDER & VA-BRACHT	V. Buren, W., & Kedzie.
I. M. SCOTT	Wabansia-av., N., 943.
SCHROEDER BROS.	Western-av., N., 296.
A. GABERT	Western-av., N., 1312.
F. W. THOMAS	Western, S., & Jackson
H. SHAPIRO	12th-st., W., 179.
H. SILVERBERG	12th-st., W., 306.
ROESCH & SALCHERT	12th-st., W., 514.
BEHRENS & RAHLFS	12th-st., W., 618.
BRUNO H. GOLL	12th-st., W., & Ashland.
C. PATERA	12th-st., W., 837.
F. BEHRENS	12th, W., & Western-av
L. P. LARSEN	12th, W., & Kedzie-av
J. L. LORIMER	12th-st., W., 1912.
A. STAMM	12th-st., W., & 40th-av.
E. C. SCHUSTER	12th-st., W., 2109.
A. ROSENWALD	14th-st., W., 323.
B. A. HACKNER	14th, W., & Loomis-sts.
JAMES GUTHRIE	14th-st., W., 603.
L. P. ALEXA	19th-st., W., 664.
J. O. WESTEIN	19th-st., W., 989.
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E. H. WOLTERSDORF	21st-st., W., 900.
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J. S. MATTAS	22d-st., W., 1540.
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J. S. STILES	22d-st., W., 1812.
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T. H. CLARISSEY	48th-av., S., 513.
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Branches.	Location.
J. M. ALLEN	Argyle-av., E., 1248.
R. L. BROWN	Ashland, N., & Addison.
HIGH SCHOOL PHAR.	
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H. J. BATE	Clark, N., & Ohio-sts.
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O. BARTLING	Clark, N., & Halsted.
G. S. ORTH	Clark, N., & Addison.
J. T. GARDNER	Clark, N., & Wilson-av.
J. C. BEHNKE	Clark, N., 1249.
ALVIN H. LEESER	Clark, N., 1482.
LOUIS MARNITZ	Clark, N., 1756.
FOSTER AVE. PHAR.	Clark, N., 3584.
H. A. THOMPSON	Clark, N., 4773.
LOUIS WICKERT	Cleveland-av., 377.
DR. EDWARD OTTO	Clybourn & Larrabee.
DEERING PHARMACY	Clybourn-av., 876.
J. M. HORN	Diversey-blvd., E., 1354
AUGUST LUNDVALL	Division-st., E., 229.
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A. F. BLETTNER	Evanston-av., 1914.
A. T. FLEISCHER	Evanston-av., 1974.
R. VOGELSANG	Fremont-st., 85.
F. E. STOLZE	Halsted, N., & Center.
T. P. FLANNERY	Halsted, N., & Diversey
O. J. DUKE	Halsted-st., N., 935.
HEALEY & RENNEN	Halsted-st., N., 985.
HERMAN FRY	Halsted-st., N., 1100.
W. W. CHRISTENSEN	Halsted-st., N., 1748.
J. R. VAHLTEICH	Halsted-st., N., 1881.
W. G. MARR	Halsted-st., N., 2030.
BELLACK BROS.	Lincoln & Belden-avs.
R. H. DOEDERLEIN	Lincoln & Wrightwood.
PETER MERZ & SON	Lincoln & George-st.
S. K. SCHREINER	Lincoln & Belmont-avs.
C. R. HOFFMAN	Lincoln & Cornelia-avs.
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CUYLER PHARMACY	Lincoln-av., 1659.
HANOVER PHARM	Lincoln-av., 1934.
F. R. KREMER	Lincoln-av., 2520.
BERNAUER & SON	North & Hudson-avs.
HERMAN FRY	North-av., E., 161.
F. X. DIEDEN	North-av., E., 311.
HERMAN FRY	North-av., E., 354.
THE ROSE PHAR.	North-av., E., 356.
WIELAND PHAR.	North-av., E., 418.
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AD. UMENHOFER	Sheffield & Webster-avs
W. E. POUDER & CO.	Sheridan-road, 1309.
F. L. BERGER	Southport-av. & Roscoe.
GREEN & WEISER	State & Chicago, n. w. cor
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LUNDSTRUM DRUG CO	Wells-st., 96.
B. L. ROOS	Wells-st., 741.

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Branches.	Location.
DINET & DELFOSSE	Armitage-av., 286.
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S. ROSENFELD	Armitage-av., 1123.
W. F. BAESLAU	Armitage-av., 1190.
KAPFUS BROS.	Armitage-av., 1623.
A. H. SCOTT	Ashland-av., N., 235.
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E. E. FROHN	Belmont-av., W., 322.
L. A. GRIMME	Belmont-av., W., 455.
WM. CARON	Blue Island-av., 109.
A. C. DAHM	Blue Island-av., 240.
M. D. STAIGER	Blue Island & 14th.
P. J. PELIKEN	Blue Island-av., 570.
W. A. PLICE	California, S., & Polk.
F. O. CHRISTENSEN	California & Jackson.
AUGUST MATTHEI	Canalport-av., 134.
C. G. FOUCEK	Center-av., S., 586.
F. WREDE	Chicago-av., W., 363.
W. H. BIERMANN	Chicago-av., W., 468.
HENRY SCHMIDT	Chicago-av., W., 567.
CHAS. J. MATHARIE	Chicago-av., W., 626.
F. E. FALKENBERG	Chicago-av., W., 688.
GRAESSLE-KOEHLER	Chicago-av., W., 748.
O. C. EBINGER	Chicago-av., W., 1107.
H. J. ADIS	Chicago-av., W., 1770.
R. W. ALLEN	Chicago-av., W., 1788.
J. RITTER	Colorado-av., 170.
O. W. SISSON	Colorado-av., 502.
J. E. MURBACH	Diversey-av., W., 389.
L. A. ELISBERG	Division-st., W., 682.
E. J. HEISS	Division-st., W., 764.
BELLACK BROS	Division-st., W., 821.
G. G. NEWTON	Erie, W., & Noble-st.
D. W. THOMSON	Grand-av., W., 208.
BRUNN'S PHARMACY	Grand-av., W., 282.
P. J. BEHRENS	Grand-av., W., 727.
R. J. LIVESEY	Grand-av., W., 849.
A. ROMANO	Halsted-st., N., 187.
O. S. BETTING	Halsted, S., & Jackson.
JOHN P. LEE	Halsted-st., S., 260.
H. A. BISCHOFF	Halsted-st., S., 747.
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J. I. STRAW	Harrison-st., W., 1007.
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R. A. BARBER	Irving Park-bd., W., 809.
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G. FRANK	Jefferson-st., S., 557.
RICHMOND PHAR.	Kedzie-av., N., 240.
J. G. ALETH-HANSEN	Kedzie-av., N., 1836.
J. M. ST. JOHN	Lake, W., & Paulina.
E. A. HOLROYD	Lake, W., & Western.
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ARTHUR HENSEL	Lake-st., W., 1271.
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L. C. HATCHEK	Lake-st., W., & 40th.
PIERCE & WILCOX	Lake-st., W., 2081.
N. G. McCLURE	Lawndale-av., S., 1256.
GEO. SELMER	Leavitt-st., N., 728.
McKELLIGAN & OTTEN	Madison-st., W., 50.
DELL & CO.	Madison-st., W., 273.
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PASSAIC PHARMACY	Madison-st., W., 389.

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Miscellaneous.

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[illegible]...Apr. 9 | Waldersee.......June 11
[illegible]...Apr. 16 | A. Victoria.......June 16
[illegible]...Apr. 21 | Bulgaria.......June 18
[illegible]...Apr. 23 | Phœnicia.......June 22
[illegible]...Apr. 28 | †*Bluecher.......June 23
[illegible]...Apr. 30 | Pennsylvania.......June 25
[illegible]...May 5 | †*Moltke.......June 30
[illegible]...May 7 | Patricia.......July 2
[illegible]...May 12 | *Deutschland.......July 7
[illegible]...May 14 | Belgravia.......July 9
[illegible]...May 19 | F. Bismarck.......July 14
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[illegible]...Apr. 9, 10 am | West'nd...Apr. 23, 10 am
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Bohemian...Apr. 6 | Cestrian.......Apr. 20
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Cestic.......Mar. 31 May 5 June 2
Cymric.......Apr. 21 May 19 June 16
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Kronprinz...May 3, 8 am | Kaiser.......July 19, 10 am
K. W. II...May 17, 7 am | Kronp'z.July 26, 2:30 pm
Kaiser...May 24, 10 am | K. Wm. II..Aug. 9, 1 pm
Kronprinz..May 31, 7 am | Kaiser.......Aug. 16, 10 am
K. W. II..June 14, 6 am | Kronprinz.Aug. 23, 1 pm
TWIN SCREW PASSENGER SERVICE.
PLYMOUTH—CHERBOURG—BREMEN.
*Main...Mar. 24, 10 am | *Neckar..May 14, 10 am
Barbar'sa.Mar. 31, 10 am | Friedrich..May 19, noon
P. Alice...Apr. 7, 10 am | Bremen.......May 26, 9 am
Bremen...Apr. 21, 10 am | *Rhein.......June 2, noon
*Rhein...Apr. 28, 10 am | Kurfuerst.June 7, 11 am
K. Luise...May 5, 10 am | K. Luise...June 9, noon
P. Alice...May 10, 1 pm | Barb'rossa.June 16, noon
Barbarossa.May 12, 9 am | Friedrich..June 23, 1 pm
*For Bremen direct.
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GIBRALTAR—NAPLES—GENOA.
Neckar...Mar. 26, 11 am | K. Albert.June 25, 11 am
P. Irene...Apr. 2, 11 am | Hohenz'n..July 2, 11 am
K. Albert.Apr. 12, 11 am | P. Irene..July 16, 11 am
Hohenz'n.Apr. 23, 11 am | Hohenz'n.Aug. 6, 11 am
P. Irene...May 7, 11 am | P. Irene..Aug. 27, 11 am
K. Albert.May 21, 11 am | Hohenz'n.Sept. 24, 11 am
Hohenz'n.May 28, 11 am | P. Irene...Oct. 8, 11 am
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Sailings every Thursday at 10 a. m.
La Savoie.......Mar. 24 Apr. 28 May 26 June 23
La Gascogne.......Mar. 31 May 19 June 16 July 14
La Touraine.......Apr. 7 May 5 June 2 July 21
La Lorraine.......Apr. 14 May 12 June 9 July 7
La Bretagne.......Apr. 21 .... June 30 July 28
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[illegible].......April 16 | Columbia.......Apr. 30
[illegible].......April 2 and 30, May 28, June 25
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RAILWAY TIME TABLES.

WESTERN ROADS.

CHICAGO GREAT WESTERN RY. — MAPLE Leaf Route. Grand Central Station, 5th-av. and Harrison-st. Office, 115 Adams. 'Phone 3503 Cent.

	Leave.	Arrive.
Minneapolis, St. Paul, Dubuque, Kansas City, St. Joseph, Des Moines, Marshalltown, Fort Dodge, Council Bluffs, & Omaha	* 8:45 am * 6:30 pm *11:00 pm	* 9:30 pm * 8:55 am * 1:40 pm
Sycamore and Byron	* 3:10 pm	*10:40 am
St. Charles, Sycamore, Dekalb	† 5:45 pm	† 7:45 am

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WESTERN ROADS.

*Daily. §Sunday. ‡Ex. Saturday. †Ex. Sunday. ¶Ex. Monday. ||Saturday only.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL—ALL THROUGH TRAINS from Central station, 12th-st. and Park-row. Trains for the south [except fast mail] can be taken from 22d-st., 39th-st., Hyde Park, and 63d-st. stations. Tickets at city office, 99 Adams-st., and at the Auditorium Hotel.

	Leave.	Arrive.
N. Orleans, Memphis Special.	* 8:30 am	*10:00 pm
The Limited, Memphis, N. Orleans, H. Springs, Ark., Nashville and Jacksonville	* 6:20 pm	*11:30 am
St. Louis and Springfield, Diamond Special	*10:15 pm	* 7:35 am
St. Louis and Springfield, Daylight Spec., Decatur..	*11:32 am	* 7:45 pm
Cairo Local	† 8:35 am	† 5:50 pm
Fast Mail, Jackson, Tenn., Holly Springs, N. Orleans	* 2:50 am	* 8:05 am
Southern Express		* 6:00 am
Champaign, Mattoon Exp...	* 5:25 pm	* 1:20 pm
Bloomington and Chatsworth.	† 8:35 am	†10:00 pm
Bloomington, Clinton, Decatur, and Pana	† 5:25 pm	† 1:20 pm
Evansville Express	* 8:30 am	† 5:50 pm
Evansville, Cairo, and South.	* 9:00 pm	* 8:05 am
Kankakee and Gilman	* 4:15 pm	*10:00 am
Minneapolis and St. Paul	* 6:00 pm	* 9:35 am
Omaha, San Francisco	* 6:00 pm	* 9:35 am
Dubuque, S. City, Sioux Falls.	* 6:00 pm	* 9:35 am
Omaha Day Express	* 8:15 am	* 9:55 pm
Omaha, S. City Fast Mail	* 2:55 am	* 7:00 am
Rockford Passenger	* 2:10 pm	*10:05 am
Rockford, Freeport, Dubuque.	† 3:45 pm	†12:55 pm

WABASH RAILROAD — DEPOT, DEARBORN station, Polk and Dearborn-sts. Ticket offices, 97 Adams-st. and 15 Congress-st. Telephones—City office (except Sunday), Cent. 3046. Depot, H. 755.

	Leave.	Arrive.
St. Louis Vestibuled Limited..	*11:03 am	* 5:22 pm
Peoria & Springfield Express.	† 2:30 pm	† 2:45 pm
St. Louis Limited Express	* 9:17 pm	* 7:30 am
St. Louis & Peoria Express...	*11:30 pm	* 8:02 am
Peoria & Texas Limited	*11:03 am	* 5:22 pm
Forrest Accommodation	* 4:35 pm	* 9:47 am
Cont. Lim., N. Y., Boston....	*11:00 am	* 3:50 pm
Detroit, N. Falls, N. Y	* 3:00 pm	* 9:30 pm
Montpelier Accommodation...	*10:00 am	*10:50 am
Detroit, N. Falls & Boston Ex.	*11:00 pm	* 7:15 am
Toronto, Mont. & Can. Ex....	* 3:00 pm	* 9:30 pm

CHICAGO & EASTERN ILLINOIS RAILROAD—Ticket office, 91 Adams-st. (Telephone Central 4446), Auditorium Annex and Dearborn station, Dearborn and Polk-sts.

	Leave.	Arrive.
Terre Haute, Evansville....	† 7:28 am	† 8:25 pm
Southern Illinois and Marion.	† 7:28 am	† 8:25 pm
Mudlavia Spgs. and Brazil...	†10:20 am	† 1:48 pm
Chicago & Florida Limited..	* 1:30 pm	* 4:10 pm
Mudlavia Spgs. and V'burg..	† 1:45 pm	† 5:45 pm
Danville Express	* 5:05 pm	*10:08 am
Nashville and Jacksonville..	* 7:00 pm	* 9:15 am
Terre Haute and Evansville.	*11:34 pm	* 6:53 pm
Arkansas and Texas	*11:34 pm	* 6:53 am

EASTERN ROADS.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL, N. Y. C. & H. R. and B. & A. Rys.—"THE Niagara Falls Route." Ticket offices, 119 Adams-st., Auditorium, and Gt. Northern Hotels, Palmer House, and stations 12th and Park Row, 22d-st., 39th-st., Hyde Pk., 63-st. (Dec. 27, 1903.)

	Lv. Chicago.	Ar. Chicago.
Kalamazoo, B'ttle Creek, Jackson, Ann Arbor, De-tr't, St. Thomas, Buff'o, Roch'ter, Syr'use, U'tica, Albany, New Y., Bost., and Eastern points	* 10:30 am *x 3:00 pm * 5:20 pm *x12:00 n't	*x 7:30 am *x 8:00 am * 11:50 am * 3:05 pm *x 8:55 pm ¶ 9:00 pm
(Trains marked "x" pass Niagara Falls.)		
Detroit Night Express	* 10:00 pm	* 7:30 am
Kalamazoo & Interm'ate.	* 3:00 am	* 9:55 pm
Detroit & Main Line p'nts.	† 6:45 am	† 6:40 pm
Kalamazoo Accommod'on.	† 3:50 pm	† 11:10 am
L'nsing, Owosso, Sag'w, & Bay City, & Saginaw Division points	† 10:30 am ‡ 10:00 pm ‡ 12:00 n't	¶ 7:30 am † 6:40 pm † 8:55 pm
Cassopolis, Three Riv., & Air Line Division p'ts.	† 6:45 am † 3:00 pm	† 11:10 am † 6:40 pm
Via Grand Rapids and Indiana Ry.		
Grd. Rap., Traverse C'y, Petoskey, Harbor Spgs, and Mackinaw City	† 6:45 am † 5:00 pm * 12:00 n't	* 7:30 am † 12:55 pm ....
Gr. Rapids & Traverse C'y.	† 1:15 pm	† 4:40 pm

THE PENNSYLVANIA LINE—CHICAGO UNION passenger station, Adams, Canal, and Madison-sts. Ticket offices at station and at 248 S. Clark-st., corner Jackson, and at Auditorium Hotel. Through trains run as follows:

From Chicago to	Leave.	Arrive.
Fort Wayne and Alliance....	† 7:00 am	*7:35 am
Indianapolis and Louisville...	*10:00 am	*5:30 pm
Dayton and Cincinnati	*10:00 am	*5:30 pm
Columbus, Balto., and Wash..	*10:05 am	*5:00 pm
Philadelphia and New York..	*10:05 am	*5:00 pm
The Manhattan Limited	* 1:00 pm	*4:00 pm
Pittsburg and Washington	* 1:00 pm	*4:00 pm
Philadelphia and New York..	* 1:00 pm	*4:00 pm
Pittsburg, Balt., and Wash...	* 3:00 pm	*8:45 pm
Philadelphia and New York...	* 3:00 pm	*8:45 pm
The Pennsylvania Limited....	* 6:00 pm	*8:25 am
Pittsburg and Washington....	* 6:00 pm	*8:25 am
Philadelphia and New York..	* 6:00 pm	*8:25 am
Pgh., Youngstown & N. Castle.	* 7:30 pm	*7:35 am
Columbus, Pgh., and the east..	* 9:00 pm	*7:35 am
Cincinnati and Dayton	* 8:40 pm	*7:10 am
Indianapolis and Louisville...	* 9:00 pm	*7:10 am
Pittsburg and the east	*11:45 pm	*7:35 am

*Daily. †Except Sunday.

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	Leave.	Arrive.
Day Express	† 7:00 am	† 7:00 pm
Buffalo, Albany, New York..	* 8:30 am	* 7:50 am
New York and Boston Spec'l.	*10:30 am	
20th Century Limited	*12:30 pm	* 9:45 am
New England Express	* 2:00 pm	*12:10 pm
Buffalo and the East	* 3:00 pm	* 3:00 pm
Lake Shore Limited	* 5:30 pm	* 4:00 pm
Elkhart Accommodation	....	† 9:35 am
Cleveland	* 8:30 pm	* 7:10 am
Toledo, Cleveland, New York.	*10:35 pm	* 9:00 pm
Buffalo and Boston	* 3:00 am	....

MONON ROUTE—DEPOT, DEARBORN STAtion. Ticket offices, 232 Clark-st. and principal hotels. Phone Har. 1267.

	Leave.	Arrive.
Florida Limited	* 9:00 pm	* 7:23 am
Indianapolis and Cincinnati..	* 2:45 am	*12:00 n'n
Lafayette and Louisville	* 8:30 am	* 5:55 pm
Indianapolis, Cincin., Dayton.	† 8:30 am	† 5:55 pm
Indianapolis, Cincin., Dayton.	*12:00 n'n	† 8:40 pm
Lafayette Accommodation....	* 3:20 pm	*10:35 am
Lafayette and Louisville	* 9:00 pm	* 7:23 am
Indianapolis, Cincin., Dayton.	* 9:00 pm	* 7:23 am
French Lick and W. B. Spgs.	* 8:30 am	* 5:55 pm
French Lick and W. B. Spgs.	* 9:00 pm	* 7:23 am

BIG FOUR ROUTE—DEPOTS, CENTRAL STAtion, 12th-st. and Park-row, and 22d, 39th, 53d, 63d-sts. Ticket offices, 238 Clark and Auditorium.

*Daily. †Except Sunday.	Leave.	Arrive.
Indianapolis and Cincinnati...	*9:00 am	*5:30 pm
Louisville	†9:00 am	†5:30 pm
Cincinnati and Washington...	*1:00 pm	*5:40 pm
Lafayette and Louisville	*8:30 pm	*7:10 am
Indianapolis and Cincinnati...	*8:30 pm	*7:10 am

BALTIMORE AND OHIO—DEPOT GRAND CENtral passenger station. Ticket offices, 244 Clark-st. and Auditorium. No extra fare on limited trains.

	Leave.	Arrive.
Local Express	† 7:15 am	†5:15 pm
N. Y. & Wash. Vest. Limited..	*10:40 am	*7:00 pm
N. Y., Wash., & Pitts. V. Lim.	* 3:30 pm	*9:00 am
Cleveland & Pittsburg Exp..	* 8:00 pm	*6:50 am
Columbus & Wheeling Exp....	* 7:00 pm	*6:50 am

NICKEL PLATE—THE NEW YORK, CHICAGO and St. Louis R. R.—La Salle-st. station, Van Buren and La Salle-sts. All trains daily.

	Leave.	Arrive.
New York and Boston Express..	10:35 am	9:15 pm
New York Express	2:30 pm	5:25 pm
New York and Boston Express..	9:15 pm	7:40 am

City ticket office, 111 Adams-st. and Auditorium Annex. 'Phone Central 2057.

PERE MARQUETTE—GRAND CENTRAL STAtion, corner Harrison-st. and Fifth-av. City office, 206 S. Clark-st.—Phone Central 3580. Auditorium Hotel and Annex, Great Northern, Palmer, and Sherman Hotels.

	Leave.	Arrive.
Grand Rapids, Muskegon, and Northern Michigan..	† 8:30 am † 3:45 pm *10:45 pm	† 3:00 pm † 7:30 pm * 7:40 am

Sleeping cars at night. Parlor car on day trains.

WILL DISPOSES OF MILLIONS.

Schedule of Charles Counselman's Estate Is Filed in the Probate Court.

The will of the late Charles Counselman yesterday was filed for probate. The estate is valued at $2,410,000, of which $1,930,000 is in personal property. The widow, Mrs. Jennie E. Counselman, receives one-third of all, and, with the exception of a bequest of $10,000 to a brother, Thomas Benton Counselman of New York, the remainder of the estate is left in trust for the testator's two children, Edith Counselman and Charles Counselman Jr. The request is made that the copartnership of Counselman & Co. with Henry Sturtevant be continued. The executors are Mrs. Jennie E. Counselman, Charles L. Hutchinson, and Seymour Morris.

TAKEN FROM ZION TO HOSPITAL.

Children Residing in Spokane, Wash., Remove Dowieite from Residence of Deacon Kraus.

Frank Kraus and a sister arrived in Zion City yesterday afternoon, called from Spokane, Wash., by a telegram announcing the illness of their father, Jacob Kraus, at the residence of Deacon Kraus. They had him secretly examined by a physician and taken in an ambulance to a hospital in Waukegan. Kraus long has been suffering from abscesses, and the Dowieites have been praying for his recovery. It is alleged that he was refused medicine.

ZION CITY WILL GET $10,000.

Long Fought Condemnation Suit of North Shore Trolley Road Is Reported Settled.

Terms of settlement, it was announced yesterday, have been reached in the long contested condemnation suit of the Chicago, Waukegan and North Shore railway company through Zion city. The agreement provides that Dr. Dowie shall receive $300 an acre for land actually used in the right of way, and an additional sum for land damaged. The aggregate amount to be paid to Dowie is said to be $10,000, while when the company started its suit the general overseer asked $500,000.

BUYS LAND FOR A PLANT.

COMMONWEALTH ELECTRIC COMPANY CLOSES DEAL.

Acquires 187,117 Square Feet at Cologne and Quarry Streets for $65,000—Closes Plans for Factory Site on Which $565,000 Has Been Spent—Report That Property at Clark and Monroe Has Been Purchased for a Theater Is Discredited.

The purchase of a tract of 187,117 square feet at the northwest and southwest corners of Cologne and Quarry streets by the Commonwealth Electric company has been closed, and the deeds were filed for record yesterday. The property was bought from the Joseph Drexel estate and the price paid was $65,000.

One tract, embracing 104,534 square feet, with a river frontage of 400 feet, was sold at the rate of 45 cents a square foot, and the other, of 73,583 square feet, was sold at the rate of nearly 25 cents a square foot. Frederick A. Sadler, who took title for the company, gave back a purchase money mortgage to Edgar M. Snow, representing the Drexel estate, for $50,000, five years, at 4½ per cent.

These two deals round out the plans of the company in connection with its plant at that place. Altogether, the purchases of the company amount to $565,200, as follows:

From the estate of Caleb Allen, 195,000 square feet at 67 cents	$135,000
From the Drexel estate, 65,000	......
From the estate of B. S. Rotch, 80,000 square feet at 35 cents	27,500
Purchase of 616,066 square feet in 1902	337,700

The company already has expended in construction from $2,000,000 to $2,500,000.

More Deals in Realty.

Henry C. Morris has purchased by master's deed, from William H. Thomas and others, 75x112½ feet in Douglas place, seventy-five feet west of Cottage Grove avenue, with flat improvement, for $38,800.

The estate of Christian Fenger has sold to Romolo Sbarboro the property at 380-382 West Madison street, with business improvements, for $33,000. The purchaser gave back a trust deed to Francis Lackner, as trustee, for $25,000, five years, at 5 per cent, part purchase money.

The estate of Walter S. Gurnee of New York City sold to E. Norman Scott the property at 487 Fifth avenue, 24x107 feet, with a three story building, for $18,000. The property subsequently was conveyed by Mr. Scott to Charles S. Quinlan for $12,500. In connection with the purchase Mr. Quinlan executed a trust deed to the Chicago Title and Trust company, as trustee, to secure $12,000 of the purchase money, for five years at 5½ per cent.

New Theater Report Discredited.

A New York dispatch yesterday stated that the so-called Association of Traveling Managers had, through agents here, acquired by purchase and lease property at Monroe and Clark streets as the site for a new theater. The only property in that locality which is on the market is at the northeast corner of the streets named, owned by the Equitable Trust company, forty feet of which is under lease to the Peck estate. The story is pronounced by Ferdinand W. Peck and the trust company to be without foundation. In addition, the property is not available for theatrical purposes, because of the lack of an alley, while the price at which it is held is regarded as prohibitive for the uses indicated.

The First National bank of Massillon, O., bid in at judicial sale yesterday 133 by 158½ feet, with brick improvements, at Wharton avenue and Fifty-first street for $17,000.

Real Estate Transfers.

Real estate transfers filed for record on Thursday, March 24, 1904:

LAKE VIEW.

Bradley-pl., 219 e of Fremont-st., n f, 37½x139½, March 21 [E. H. Schwuchow to Frank A. Schwuchow]	$5,000
Herndon-st., 197 s of Byron, e f, 25x123½, March 8 [C. W. Creen to Geo. R. Creen]	1,200
Kenmore-av., 587 n of Irving Park-av., w f, 20x150, March 21 [W. F. Berry to Gervaise Graham]	8,000
Seeley-av., 195 n of Addison-st., e f, 33 1-3x124, March 17 [E. Stricker to Edward G. Wachter]	1,000

JEFFERSON.

Bingham-st., 550 n w of Armitage-av., s w f, 24x105, March 21 [A. Hartel to Edward Wendel]	1,300
42d-av., N., 239 s of Wabansia-av., w f, 25x125, Aug. 31, 1903 [C. B. Rice to James P. Dempsey]	2,650
53d-av., N., 75 s of Humboldt-av., e f, 50x125, March 1 [A. Wassik to Frank Bobula]	1,150
Monticello-av., 180 s of Dunning-st., w f, 26x125, Feb. 25 [P. Schulte to Johanne Norman]	1,500

NORTH CHICAGO.

Huron-st., No. 147, 25x100, March 22 [E. J. Warren to Mary J. Webb]	1
Raymond-st., 144 w of Robey, s f, 24x100, March 8 [M. Kazinski to Elizabeth Cohrs]	1,500
Sullivan-st., 278 w of Sedgwick, s f, 48x66, Feb. 20 [Est. of B. Koeber to Ernst Stock Jr.]	1,125
Same ppty., Feb. 20 [E. Stock Jr. to Martin Schiska]	2,000

SOUTH CHICAGO.

Calumet-av., 224 n of 24th-st., w f, 25x178, March 22 [H. Koehning to Chas. S. Roberts]	4,000
Clark-st., S., n e cor. 21st, w f, 50x132, March 22 [J. L. Diederich et al., by M. in C., to Annie Brown]	2,300
Douglas or 34th-pl., 75 w of Cottage Grove-av., n f, 75x112½, March 23 [Wm. H. Thomas et al., by M. in C., to Henry C. Morris]	38,800
5th-av., No. 467, 24x107, and No. 487, 24x107, Feb. 8 [Est. of Walter S. Gurnee of New York City to E. Norman Scott]	18,000
5th-av., No. 487, 24x107, March 17 [E. Norman Scott to Chas. S. Quinlan]	12,500
Heldmaier-av., n w cor. Quarry-st., s f, 396x264, except 1,173.52 square feet conveyed to Sanitary District; Heldmaier-av., s w cor. Quarry-st., w f, 299x400, except one-half acre in southeast corner and railroad right of way; Mary-st., 308 s of Hillock-av., e f, 72x100 and bldgs., Dec. 31, 1903 [Est. of Joseph W. Drexel, by trustees, to Frederick A. Sadler]	65,000
Same ppty., incumb. $50,000, Dec. 31, 1903 [Fred'k A. Sadler to Commonwealth Electric company]	15,000
22d-st., 24 e of Paulina, n f, 24x100, March 7 [H. P. Tomlin to Emma Gnaedinger]	4,000
36th-st., 141 e of Francisco-av., n f, 50x125, March 6 [Henrietta H. Starrett et al. to Albert Szymanski]	1,000

HYDE PARK.

Avenue M, 123 s of 103d-st., w f, 25x125 and o p, March 22 [Ellen Donoghue to Catherine A. Donoghue]	10,000
Curtis-av., s w cor. 105th-st., e f, 50x96.7, March 19 [Charles A. Walhof to Jacob Kostelyk]	1,200
Evans-av., 296 s of 47th-st., w f, 20x117, March 23 [George B. Bassett to John Jenkinson]	5,300
Hartwell-av., 122 n of 66th-st., w f, 24x125, March 19 [F. D. Fowler to Gurden J. Gunderson]	1,600
Prairie-av., 85 n of 63d-st., w f, 26x60¼, Feb. 13 [G. C. Watts to William Garnett Jr.]	1,250
Vincennes-av., 120 s of 65th-st., e f, 24x122, incumb. $2,000, March 21 [George A. Hinsler to Charles N. Bennett]	5,000

LAKE.

Armour-av., 156 s of Garfield-blvd., e f, 25x90, March 23 [L. E. Picherden et al., by M. in C., to James Kenan]	2,850
Marshfield-av., 74 s of 50th-st., w f, 24x122, March 10 [P. Romkoski to Edmund Hauser]	2,600
Peoria-st., 200 s of 72d, w f, 25x124½, incumb. $1,600, March 21 [A. F. Lindahl to Jeremiah J. Barry]	2,700
61st-st., n w cor. Aberdeen, s f, 48.8x125, March 8 [M. S. Crowe to Herman Morgenroth]	2,100
65th-st., 150 e of Normal-av., n f, 37½x150, incumb. $4,000, Feb. 23 [Ishi Smith to David Haas]	7,500
Union-av., 99 s of 51st-st., w f, 25x125, incumb. $2,600, March 17 [F. Schoenfield to Bridget McGinnis]	3,400

WEST CHICAGO.

Aberdeen-st., 96 n of Van Buren, e f, 50x143, March 22 [A. W. Fibich to Owen H. Jones et al.]	5,000
Fillmore-st., 166 e of S. 42d-av., n f, 25x125, March 22 [R. A. Simpson to Lawrence Smith]	1,300
14th-st., s w cor. Harding-av., n f, 49x125, March 21 [A. J. Sabath to Vaclav Vranek]	1,650
Flournoy-st., 269 e of Central Park-av., s f, 25x124, March 23 [B. Hawks to Douglass A. Lawrence]	1,000
Hamlin-av., 138 n of Lake-st., e f, 50x175, incumb. $4,000, March 23 [C. F. Jackson to Emma E. Newman]	1
Lexington-st., 241 w of Douglas-blvd., n f, 25x124, March 23 [W. M. Clark to Emma Z. Watson et al.]	7,000
Madison-st., W., 380 and 382, 45x120, being s e cor. Madison-st. and Center-av., March 23 [estate of Christian Fenger to Romolo Sbarboro]	33,000
Monroe-st., W., 795 and 797, 44x125, Sept. 6, 1902 [S. S. Strangeland to Alice E. Hill]	14,000
Mozart-st., 50 s of Cortez, e f, 25x125, March 10 [J. G. Kaussler to Henry Moeller]	2,000
Paulina-st., 90 n of Taylor, w f, 46x125, Feb. 25 [C. A. Harris to Abraham Horowitz]	5,000
Same ppty., March 22 [A. Horowitz to Flora Horowitz]	1
12th-st., 109 e of Throop, n f, 25x124, March 1 [B. H. Furst et al. to Joseph Finkelstein]	3,850
Union-av., 254 s of 16th-st., w f, 24x100, March 23 [W. Slack to Jan Masek]	2,100
Western-av., 26½ n of Kinzie-st., w f, 45½x130, March 22 [D. A. Titcomb et al., by M. in C., to Charles E. Morrison]	6,000
Wood-st., 676 n of Division, e f, 24x95, March 18, incumb. $4,000 [E. Cohrs to Frank Kazinski]	6,900

CICERO.

Monroe-st., 286 w of Walnut, n f, 50x124, and o. p., March 17 [I. Cornelius to Adolph F. H. Cornelius]	2,000

Building Permits.

The following building permits were issued yesterday by the building department:

Henrietta Murphy, 3 story and basement brick flats, 1358 Rokeby-st	$8,500
W. Gray Brown, 1 story and basement brick store and flat, 803 W. Madison-st	3,500
Louis Goers, 1½ story and basement brick dwelling, 224 Roscoe-st	3,000
J. C. Walledom, 3 story and basement brick flats, 637 N. Campbell-av	5,500
W. W. Harper, 2 story and basement frame flat, 442 Medill-av	2,000
Andrew Koesche, 2 story and basement brick flats, 1003 N. Sawyer-av	3,500
R. Rosenberg, 3 story and basement brick store and flat, 273 Maxwell-st	20,000
John Miara, 1 story and basement brick cottage, 2058 25th-pl	1,400
C. W. Franz, 1½ story and basement brick dwelling, 1705 Grenshaw-av	2,000
Hannah O. Toole, 1½ story and basement brick cottage, 6808 Ada-st	1,700
A. Johnson, 2 story and basement brick rear addition, 5926 Peoria-st	1,000
Thomas Kral, 1½ story and basement brick dwelling, 4613 Lincoln-st	2,000
Frank Daubek, 2 story and basement brick front addition, 4422 Honoré-st	1,900
W. S. Reed, 2 story and basement brick residence, 4954 Ellis-av	30,000
W. S. Reed, 3 story and basement brick apartment, 325-27 Oakwood-blvd	30,000
T. Green, 2 story and basement brick flats, 11928 Eggleston-av	3,000
William Butterworth, 1 story and basement brick cottage, 6534 S. Paulina-st	1,500
William Butterworth, 1 story and basement brick cottage, 6510 S. Paulina-st	1,500

MERIT BOARD SPLITS STATE.

United States Civil Service Commission Makes the Third Change in as Many Months.

A new United States civil service district—the third change affecting Illinois in as many months—was organized yesterday by Commissioner Alford W. Cooley of Washington. Instead of comprising the Sixteenth district Illinois will hereafter be partly in the Seventh, which will embrace the northern half of the state, with Wisconsin and Michigan. Central and southern Illinois will be in the Ninth district. The Seventh was placed in charge of Peter Newton, formerly secretary of the Chicago board of federal civil service examiners. He held the first examination during the day in the postoffice, when thirty-nine persons took examinations for positions as stenographers and shorthand writers. All papers for the district will be sent to Chicago.

BANQUET AT CHICAGO HEIGHTS.

Nearly 200 Guests Help Celebrate the Fiftieth Birthday Anniversary of J. V. Steger.

Nearly 200 guests attended a banquet given last evening at the Thomas opera house by the Chicago Heights club in celebration of the fiftieth birthday anniversary of John V. Steger.

The arrangements were in charge of George C. Flanner, Dr. A. L. Spindler, and J. H. Keast. William McGrew was toastmaster, and among the speakers were J. C. Mote, Thomas E. Northen, former Mayor Thomas, C. B. Harger, Charles H. Wacker, Jacob Kirgis, and A. J. Miller.

Next Saturday evening the citizens of Steger will give a banquet and entertainment. The village has been built up around the Steger piano industries.

Michigan Admits Russia Company.

Lansing, Mich., March 24.—[Special.]—The Russia Insurance company of St. Petersburg has been admitted to Michigan. It will transact a reinsurance business only.

NEWS OF THE INSURANCE WORLD.

EDITED BY C. M. CARTWRIGHT.

Eastern News Telegraphed from New York Journal of Commerce and Commercial Bulletin.

HONOR THE MEMORY OF CARY.

Underwriters Adopt Resolutions on His Death and Pay Tribute to Dean of Insurance Men.

Western underwriters paid tribute yesterday to the memory of Eugene Cary, manager of the German-American, at a meeting held in the assembly room of the Chicago Underwriters' association. President E. M. Teall requested President I. S. Blackwelder of the Western union to preside. R. N. Trimingham acted as secretary. Resolutions were adopted as prepared by a committee consisting of Thomas S. Chard, John S. Belden, J. W. G. Cofran, A. F. Dean, and James H. Moore, and were read by Mr. Chard.

Thomas R. Weddell, who was present at the St. Louis banquet, recited the incidents of Mr. Cary's address and the conditions at the time of his death. Tributes were paid by Charles H. Case, J. S. Belden, J. H. Moore, George W. Blossom, P. D. McGregor, Holger de Roode, Edson W. Lyman, J. S. Gadsen, George W. Law, E. G. Halle, W. J. Littlejohn, James W. Nye, A. F. Dean, W. H. Sage, and Henry C. Eddy. Telegrams were received from H. M. Magill of Pasadena, Cal., George D. Dornin of San Francisco, Keeler & Gallagher and J. M. Decamp of Cincinnati, and R. M. Bissell of Hartford. President H. H. Hall of the National board sent the following to President Blackwelder:

"The National Board of Fire Underwriters sends to the Chicago managers this message of condolence on the death of Eugene Cary, who, by his great talent, won without envy his position as leader. The insurance companies of the country pay this tribute to his character and service to his profession and this board tenders to their western co-workers affectionate expression of sympathy in the loss of an associate so much beloved."

The governing committee of the union, of which Mr. Cary was a member, met yesterday and adopted resolutions.

The Union League club, of which Mr. Cary had been president, held a memorial meeting in the afternoon and appointed a committee of ten to attend the funeral.

The funeral will be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon from the late residence, 2536 Prairie avenue. The burial will be private. Memorial services will be held by Central church, in the Auditorium, at 11 a. m. Sunday, Dr. Gunsaulus officiating.

The Interior Underwriters and Manufacturers' Fire Underwriters of Chicago have ceased issuing policies and probably will allow their business to expire. The Interior Underwriters was managed by J. B. Roddick & Son and the Manufacturers' by Benjamin Arnow. Roddick & Son, however, passed on the business of the latter institution. The Roddick office has the confidence of insurance men and the Lloyds have thus been readily accepted. Roddick & Son have applied for membership in the Chicago Underwriters' association, and thus felt it necessary to terminate their Lloyds connections.

Offices placing street railway property in Chicago find it difficult to cover it, following the numerous losses. Surplus line companies are being sought in the emergency. A new schedule will be presented to the Chicago Underwriters' association at the next meeting, and probably will be adopted. Its application will materially increase rates on this class of business.

A. L. McCrae of Chicago has been appointed western correspondent of the Assurance Lloyds.

Lutullus Smith, manager of the Royal branch of the New York Life in Chicago, has resigned to devote his attention to his mining interests.

Col. Jasper E. Brady, superintendent of agents of the Conservative Life, has resigned to become assistant western field superintendent of the National Life, U. S. A. He will devote most of his attention to the Rocky mountain and far western states.

Following the repeal of the valued policy law in Mississippi, which applied to personal property as well as buildings, the old forms of co-insurance are being used.

The Commonwealth of Bel Air, Md., and Newport of Providence, R. I., probably will be reinstated in the Atlantic City Fire. The two companies suffered heavy losses in the Baltimore fire. All three are controlled by F. A. Colley of New York.

The United States Annuity and Life Insurance company, being organized by business men of Arcola, Ill., will have its headquarters in Chicago. F. W. Clisby is the promoter.

Jonathan Clark Jackson has signed a contract with the Ocean Accident and Guarantee. He will devote his time to its credit insurance branches in Chicago and St. Louis.

NEWS NOTES FROM NEW YORK.

Jefferson Fire and Marine of Richmond, Va., Begins Business, D. C. Taylor Agent.

New York, March 24.—[Special.]—The Jefferson Fire and Marine Insurance corporation of Richmond, Va., has begun business. David C. Taylor, 68 William street, a broker who is well and favorably known in insurance circles as general agent of the Jefferson, will write surplus lines for it on desirable hazards throughout the United States.

Samuel T. Walton has resigned as special agent of the Sun of London to accept a similar position in New York for the Connecticut general agency of T. Y. Brown & Co.

Albany advices say the Nye anti-compact bill has been recommitted to the assembly committee on insurance.

It is understood that on or about April 1 B. J. Wysor of Russell county, Virginia, who recently resigned as assistant secretary of state, will organize a fire insurance company, with its home office at Bristol, Va. The company will be known as the Imperial and will have a maximum capital stock of $100,000.

Ryerson & Hall, an old established Newark firm, have been appointed sole agents of that city for the Atlas Assurance company.

J. J. Guile, manager of the Sun insurance office, left tonight for the Pacific coast.

An underwriter familiar with conditions in Boston says:

"1. That the lot question proposed to be covered has a larger area than 40,000 square feet, hence one divisional wall of necessity would give greater areas than 20,000 feet on one side or the other, or both.

"2. While a special service main for fire purposes only, laid in Boylston and Essex streets and Atlantic avenue, thus passes by the proposed Siegel store, it would not extend to many other parts of the city, and hence would not apply to other buildings that could be put up if the present law were amended so as to give 20,000 foot areas instead of 10,000.

"3. It is a mistake to suppose that this can be made a special exemption statute to benefit Siegel. It is and must be a change of the general law, and this will apply not only to his department store but to stores of first class construction used above the first floor for storage and sale of merchandise throughout the entire area in Boston. Probably under such law there would be twenty buildings built for general merchandise purposes to one that will be used as a department store.

"For these various reasons it would appear that the modification suggested at the New York conference was to some degree faulty. What has been held by some underwriters in Boston has been a modification of the law under which buildings of first class construction adequately sprinkled would pay a bonus for diminution in height. It has been suggested if a building were confined to fifty-five feet in height and was of first class construction and thoroughly sprinkled it might safely have an area of 20,000 square feet. This change could be taken care of in a general law which would not be the case in the plan of compromise as suggested by Siegel."

The chairman of the subcommittee of seven states that there is no agreement as to any law or change in any law. The members present at the meeting simply stated to Siegel that they do not oppose the erection of a standard fireproof building having unbroken floor areas of not over 20,000 square feet, the same being fitted with a standard sprinkler equipment connected with a special sprinkler service pipe and having all vertical openings through the floors inclosed, the last provision being most essential.

Life Policies in Force in Kansas.

Topeka, Kas., March 24.—[Special.]—Insurance Supt. Luling's next report will show there were 47,144 old line life insurance policies written in Kansas in 1903. At the close of the year there were 121,225 policies in force, the insurance aggregating $97,492,843. Premiums paid in 1903 amounted to $3,108,679 and losses $835,959.

Fire Loss at Kansas City.

Kansas City, Mo., March 24.—Fire in Jones Bros.' retail dry goods store at Twelfth and Main streets, yesterday caused a loss estimated at $130,000, fully insured. Of the loss $90,000 is on stock and $40,000 on building, which is owned by Octave Chanute of Chicago. The fire was started by lightning.

Springfield, Ill., Agency Bought.

Springfield, Ill., March 24.—[Special.]—Brinkerhoff & Co., real estate and loan agents, today purchased the Grant agency, paying $4,000 cash, including expirations. The new firm will do business at the present office of the Grant agency.

NEWS OF THE COURTS.

Judgments.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Judge Holdom—23139—Union Trust Co. vs. Charles F. Shuey; by deflt., $890.33.

Judge McEwen—180975—August Pfaff vs. Fred H. Marx; on findg., $49; appl; bond and bill ex. in 30 ds.

Judge Wright—207068—Gustav A. Weiden vs. city; on ver., $975.

CIRCUIT COURT.

Judge Mack—249237—Hans Jansen vs. George L. Dahlin; by deft., $911.70.—222771—Daniel Houston vs. H. R. Bean; deft. on sci. fa., judgt. $1,105 of Feb. 25, 1896, revived.—248396—Gustav O. Goebel vs. C. Kern; on plea, $398.84.—249453—O'Gara, King & Co. vs. Inland Coal and Coke Co.; by deflt., $2,531.77.—245927—Mary Wilson vs. city; on ver., $500; 217851—Walter Henrickson vs. city; on ver., $225.—245624—Annie Hunderbein vs. city; on findg. for plff., $200.

Decrees.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Judge Brentano—3345—Mortlock vs. Mortlock; dec. div.—3435—Ash vs. Ash; dec. sale.—1003—Duncan vs. Peck; dec. sale.—1215—Judson vs. Heimbrodt; dec.

Judge Holdom—2876—Sexton vs. Le Brun; dec. sale.—508—Thomson vs. Day; dec.

CIRCUIT COURT.

Judge Tuthill—4585—Kenny vs. Healy; deflt. certn. deft.; dec.—7118—Beck vs. Funk; dec.—9450—In re petn. of Schaat; dec.—249921—In re petn. of Oestmann; dec.

Judge Dunne—6407—Lynch vs. Lynch; dec. div.—8169—Colling vs. Colling; dec. div.—8401—Rodisch vs. Rodisch; dec. div.—8721—Espy vs. Espy; dec. div.

Petitions in Bankruptcy.

10409—Charles L. Fieldstack; liabil., $4,000; assets, $109; C. Zollars, atty.

10410—Attorney Emanuel P. Barnet; liabil., $11,489; assets, $117; W. J. Lacey, atty.

10411—Zelda Levingston; liabil., $255; assets, $30; J. Granick, atty.

10412—David Gelb; liabil., $955; assets, $357; N. D. Kaplan, atty.

10413—George H. Hull; liabil., $1,353; assets, $693; P. R. Boylan, atty.

10414—Arnold C. Schuster; liabil., $110; assets, $27; W. Schwemm, atty.

10415—Petn. of J. M. Eby et al. to have Carl M. Lindvall, Joliet, Ill., adjudged bankrupt; claims, $541; Fred W. Walter and John T. Donohue, attys.

10416—Frederick S. Lithgow; liabil., $297; assets, $52; W. N. Cottrell, atty.

Court Calls for Today.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Law trial calendar, 2460, 2059, 2523, 2555, 2129, 2361, 2477, 2568, 2477, 2568, 2571, 2572, 2576, 2590, 2596, 2599, 2143, 2612, 2624, 2627, 2640, 2652, 2653, 2655, 2662, 2663, 2664, 2670, 2672, 2675, 2674, 2675, 2678, 2680, 2683.

Judge Brentano—On hearing, 1843.

Judge Kavanagh—No court.

Judge Chetlain—Set case 1158. Assigned cases. On trial, 2324.

Judge Hanecy—Assigned cases.

Judge Holdom—All law motions of course and contested motions. Chancery motions of course in Judge Kavanagh's cases. Set cases 2829, 235097, 10948.

Judge McEwen—Assigned cases.

Judge Abbott—City calendar 1334, 1340, 1345, 1347, 1356, 1360, 1387, 1283, 1290, 1300, 1323, 1381, 1323, 1381, 1382, 1385. On trial 1313.

Judge Heard—Assigned cases. On trial 1951.

Judge Frost—On trial, 2118.

Judge Wright—Assigned cases. On trial, 2444.

CIRCUIT COURT.

Law trial calendar, 4891, 5285, 5294, 5310½, 19176, 4832, 5276, 4848, 6320, 5324, 5326, 5328, 5330, 5333.

Judge Tuthill—Juvenile court.

Judge Brown—Set cases.

Judge Dunne—Judge Tuley's trial calendar, 3029, 6992, 5479, 2732.

Judge Gibbons—Assigned cases.

Judge Healy—Assigned cases. On trial, 1777.

Judge Honoré—Assigned cases. On trial, 214787.

Judge Mack—Motions of course.

Judge Walker—Assigned cases. On trial, 3654.

COUNTY COURT.

Judge Carter—19938, 21839.

PROBATE COURT.

Judge Cutting—10 a. m. motions; 10:30 a. m. set cases. Estates of Maurice Healey, Jessie Farrell, Susan Clark, George Clerk, George D. Williams. 2:15 p. m. set cases. Estates of Josefa Laholc, Edw. C. Hale, George G. Ligare, John McGovern.

CRIMINAL COURT.

Judge Chytraus—5354, 3238, 4387, 1980, 4472, 4193, 4284.

Judge Gary—Call not extended.

Judge Clifford—2266, 2262, 2264, 2265, 2267, 2269.

Judge Kersten—Call not extended.

Judge Smith—Motion in 1857.

FEDERAL COURTS.

Circuit court, Judge Kohlsaat—Motions.

District court, Judge Kohlsaat—Motions.

ASK FEDERAL COURT TO STOP CHICAGO'S TICKET SCALPERS.

Railroad Officials and National Association of Merchants and Travelers Combine to Prevent Trade in Mileage.

Commissioner Donald has been authorized by the Central Passenger association and the National Association of Merchants and Travelers to make application to the federal courts for injunctions against all the ticket scalpers in Chicago to restrain them from dealing in any kind of non-transferable tickets, practically forcing their removal.

Mr. Donald will make the application as soon as his attorneys have prepared the necessary documents. Passenger men have no doubt the courts here will follow the precedent set by Judge Thayer at St. Louis and grant the injunction.

Injunction the Best Weapon.

The railroads feel that federal injunctions against the scalpers are far more effective than anti-scalping laws passed by either state or national legislation. The Illinois legislature several years ago passed a stringent anti-scalping law, but the brokers had it declared unconstitutional, and it is felt they would find means to nullify a national law. They cannot evade an injunction issued by a federal judge, as any violation will constitute contempt of court.

In anticipation of securing the injunction the Central Passenger association at a meeting in Chicago yesterday decided to defer action until April on the question of granting stopover privileges at Chicago on St. Louis world's fair tickets.

Stopovers Bring Business.

This agreement by all the eastern lines was reached after Commissioner Donald had announced that the mercantile and manufacturing interests of Chicago had assured him that they would coöperate with the railroads in efforts to secure injunctions against scalpers.

Mr. Donald said that representatives of the National Association of Merchants and Travelers had informed him merchants of Chicago felt that unless stopovers were granted at Chicago on world's fair tickets business interests of this city would be severely injured. Many of the merchants from western and southwestern cities, who generally come to Chicago to make their purchases, would go direct to St. Louis.

Rock Island Gets Choctaw.

Stockholders of the Choctaw, Oklahoma and Gulf railroad held a special meeting here yesterday and voted to lease their road to the Rock Island company for 999 years. The Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific railway stockholders, at a meeting a few days ago, voted to amalgamate the Choctaw, Oklahoma and Gulf with their own road, and hereafter it will be operated as a division of that system.

Notes of Traffic Affairs.

It is said by a prominent official of the Union Pacific that neither J. Pierpont Morgan nor James J. Hill has requested a representation on the Union Pacific board of directors, but if they desire such representation it will be given them. Representatives of the Morgan-Hill interests, it is believed, will enter the Union Pacific board in a month or two, and at the same time representatives of the Harriman interests will be elected directors of the Northern Pacific and Great Northern.

Western railroads failed to settle the war on sugar rates at their New Orleans meeting, and in consequence the 5 cent basing rate between the Mississippi and Missouri rivers will continue in effect indefinitely. A committee was appointed to give the matter further consideration, but as the New Orleans lines refuse to relinquish the advantage they have had so long over Chicago and eastern cities a compromise is not probable.

The agreement recently entered into by the western railroads not to grant return passes to live stock shippers is being openly violated by some of the roads. Two or three of these, it is declared, have never stopped the practice. The roads which have adhered to the agreement threaten to make trouble.

SCALPER IS SENT TO PRISON.

George W. Welles, Who Sold Tickets from Burned Station, Convicted of Fraud.

Kansas City, Mo., March 24.—George W. Welles, a ticket scalper, was found guilty here today of obtaining money by fraud in disposing of railway tickets stolen from the Santa Fé depot at Princeton, Kas., which was burned to hide the robbery. M. M. Letts, the depot agent, disappeared, and later the complete set of tickets, with perforators and rubber stamps, was found in Welles' possession. Agent Letts is now at liberty. Welles was given two years in the state penitentiary.

DEFENDS INSURANCE CHARGES.

Former Auditor Merriam to Appear Before Iowa Legislative Committee Today.

Des Moines, Ia., March 24.—[Special.]—Former State Auditor Merriam arrived in the city today to appear before the legislative committee in answer to charges made by Gov. Cummins relative to examination of insurance companies during his term of office. Chairman Haywood of the joint committee on retrenchment and reform will give Mr. Merriam an opportunity to be heard tomorrow.

In an interview tonight Mr. Merriam said he was here to answer any questions as far as he could, and defend his administration against charges that may be brought against it. He said he had not seen the charges except what were contained in Gov. Cummins' biennial message, but would ask to see affidavits from insurance companies, and he expected to be able to answer satisfactorily all charges.

Defends Mileage Charge.

When asked about the alleged per diem overcharges by Insurance Examiner Beeler, he said:

"Mr. Beeler's charges for examining insurance companies were made in accordance with the Iowa reciprocal law, which provides that when any state puts burdens upon Iowa companies seeking to do business in that state the same charges be made against companies from that state seeking to do business in Iowa."

Mr. Merriam was asked if in case an examiner went to another state to examine companies he charged mileage both ways to each company examined, although the second might be examined in the same city. He said:

"That was done; but any law officer charges mileage on every paper he serves, no matter how many he serves on one trip. If it is lawful for officers to do that, I believe it is lawful in the case of the examination of insurance companies. I believe this is allowable and I shall defend it."

Reports on File Will Show.

As to the further charge that these examinations were of no other value Mr. Merriam said:

"There are reports on file in the auditor's office of every examination which was made, and these will show for themselves."

He said he had nothing to say as to the specific charges, for he had not seen them, but would meet them.

The members of the legislature went to Iowa City today, and this evening a landslide obstructed the track and may detain the train.

TRACTION CASE IN NEW YORK.

Attorney Moritz Rosenthal Will Go East to Learn History of Company's Receivership Proceedings.

Attorney Moritz Rosenthal, who has been conducting the investigation for the city into the history of the receivership proceedings of the Union Traction company, said yesterday he would go to New York to examine Walter Oakman, president of the Guarantee Trust company; J. S. Auerbach, its attorney; and other residents of that city supposed to have knowledge of the proceedings. The testimony given yesterday was by Marshall Sampsell, one of the receivers, and Will H. Clark, W. W. Gurley's office manager. They told nothing new.

WORRIED BY $35,000 GIFT

DRAINAGE TRUSTEES TRY TO EXPLAIN LORIMER'S "EXTRA."

Spend a Busy Day Turning Out Excuses and Explaining That in Accepting the Suggestion of the Contractors to Build a Retaining Wall They Made a Good Bargain—May Be Needed "Some Time," According to Engineer Randolph.

The drainage board machine worked beautifully yesterday in grinding out ingenious explanations of the sweet reasonableness of dropping that $35,000 plum into the outstretched hand of Congressman William Lorimer.

It appeared that the west side boss was granted the $35,000 "extra" to his dredging contract by a unanimous vote of the drainage board sitting as the engineering committee. Even Trustees Wenter and Webb, who objected last October to the high handed manner of granting contracts to favored bidders, cast their votes in this instance for the Lorimer "extra." All the members of the board declared that the retaining wall for which the money was voted will be a permanent improvement which Congressman Lorimer has generously consented to deliver at bargain prices.

What Personal Investigation Shows.

The reasoning of the trustees is interesting. If you go down the drainage canal to a point about a mile above Joliet and a few hundred feet below the Elgin, Joliet and Eastern railway bridge you will come to the point where the dredging contract of Joseph J. Duffy ends and the contract of Lorimer & Gallagher begins. If you look up the channel along the Duffy section your eye dwells upon a bank which the board considers sufficient for the purpose without any extras for retaining walls. But if you face about and gaze down the canal you comprehend within your range of vision the Lorimer section, which the board declares should be protected and adorned by a $35,000 retaining wall.

Explanation of Mr. Randolph.

Chief Engineer Isham Randolph explained yesterday that the wall would be a work, not of immediate necessity but of future convenience. His defense of the extra $35,000 contract, which was backed up by Trustee Webb, was that the wall could be built now for one-third of what it would cost after the dredging has been finished. It is planned to use the wall as dock frontage in connection with the use of the canal as a waterway.

"It was a fine thing for the contractors and a fine thing for us, you see," he said. "I considered that we would need the wall for dock purposes some time and that it would be a good idea to have it constructed while the excavating was in progress."

The wall is to be of Portland cement concrete, and will cost $3 a cubic yard. It is declared that the usual figure is from $4 to $5 a cubic yard, but that Lorimer & Gallagher agreed to the lower price because they would save money in disposing of the spoil from the dredging. With the wall in place they will only have to drop the spoil across on the other side instead of transporting it some distance.

TWELVE IS HIS "HOODOO" HOUR.

Man Filing Bankruptcy Petition Then Recounts List of Woes at Time of Misfortune.

As the clock in the bankruptcy clerk's office began to strike 12 yesterday a man leaned heavily on the desk of Assistant Clerk John E. Fay.

"My debts are twice as much as my assets," he said. "I want to be a bankrupt."

"All right, on the stroke of 12," said Fay, recording the name. The clerk's words startled the would be bankrupt.

"What do you know of that?" he cried.

"Of what?"

"On the stroke of 12," replied the man. "That sentence has been a hoodoo to me for years. I was robbed on the stroke of 12, almost scorched by fire at 12, I awaken in the night as the clock strikes midnight, and the reason I am filing a petition in bankruptcy is because, fool that I was, I attempted to launch a theatrical company producing a play of that name."

As the man turned away Clerk Fay numbered the petition "10,412," and entered it on the twelfth page of his ledger.

GERMAN SAVANTS TOUR CITY.

Prof. Joseph Kohler Dines at Department Store and Will Lecture at University Today.

The three German scholars who remained in Chicago yesterday spent the day in seeing the city.

Prof. Joseph Kohler, who at Northwestern university on Wednesday took issue with Prof. Meyer on the "beer question," was entertained at luncheon by Julius Rosenthal at Schlesinger & Mayer's department store, because of the novelty. He visited the public library, Art institute, board of trade, banks, and courts. Prof. Kohler this afternoon will deliver a lecture on Dante at Foster hall at the University of Chicago and will leave for Washington in the evening.

Prof. Delbrueck spent the day escorted by Prof. Kurt Laves of the department of astronomy. Prof. Meyer was entertained by Prof. Martin Schuetze of the German department, and left last night for a trip through the west.

WOULD UNITE ALL PROTESTANTS

Abolition of Denominational Lines Is Advocated by Disciples of Christ Congress.

The abolition of denominational lines and a union of Protestants yesterday were advocated at the closing session of the national congress of the Disciples of Christ, held in the Hyde Park Baptist church. The Rev. M. E. Harlan of Brooklyn said he believed alliance with the Roman Catholic church to be improbable. Other speakers were John Sweeney of California, T. W. Grafton of Anderson, Ind.; C. W. Winder of Columbia, Mo.; and J. E. Lynn of Springfield, Ill.

THREATENS TO FINE FATHERS.

Justice Caverly Believes Parents Are to Blame for Truancy of Many School Children.

Justice Caverly yesterday announced that unless the parents of children found delinquent in school attendance bring about a change he would fine the fathers the limit under the compulsory education law and send them to jail in case of default.

"If necessary, I'll have a 'school row' in the county jail for the especial benefit of the fathers," said the justice.

At the morning session the court fined three fathers $5 and costs.

SUES TO RECOVER BET MONEY.

J. E. Snowberger Charges Vere D. Davies with Misappropriating $175 Held as a Wager.

J. E. Snowberger yesterday caused the arrest of Vere D. Davies, a saloonkeeper in the rear of the McVicker building, charging larceny as bailee. He also started suit to recover the amount involved, $175, which was wagered on the Britt-Corbett prize fight and which the plaintiff alleges has been misappropriated. Davies denies the allegations.

Shakspearean Program for Club.

The Men's club of the Fourth Presbyterian church will meet this evening in the clubhouse, 319 Superior street, when Irving K. Pond will impersonate Shakspearean characters. A musical program will follow and refreshments will be served.

WARRING UNIONS COME TO BLOWS.

Engineers Resist Delivery of Coal at the Stock Exchange Building.

LEADERS GO TO CELLS.

Striking Can Makers Decide to Return, but the Painters Delay Arbitration.

After a fight between members of the stationary engineers' and the teamsters' unions yesterday over the delivery of a load of coal, three of the contestants were arrested. J. B. Quinlan, business agent of the engineers, was so badly used up that he had to be carried to the central police station, and M. L. Larson of the same union showed marks of the fight. Business Agent Joseph Cote of the teamsters had slight injuries. The coal was unloaded when the combatants had been taken away.

Trouble Due to Old Strike.

The trouble grew out of the strike of office building engineers, lost in January. Within the last few days idle enginemen have been endeavoring to stop deliveries of coal, and when a union driver backed his wagon up to the Stock Exchange building he found engineers guarding the coal hole.

"You cannot deliver that coal here," Larson told the teamster. Quinlan then gathered his forces around the opening. The driver argued and then telephoned to the office of the coal teamsters' union. He was ordered to hold his ground under a promise of speedy assistance. This came in the form of Cote.

"What business have you got stopping the driver?" he demanded. A lump of coal, said to have been hurled by Larson, was the reply, and Cote made a rush at the half dozen engineers. All fled but Quinlan. The two went down in the mud, and Larson was injured in a later clash.

Canmakers to Return.

The American Can company during the day made a proposition to its striking employés which probably will end their controversy. The company offered to take all workers back at the wages in force before the last cut. Committees of employés and representatives of the company in each shop will then readjust the scale on the basis of the reduction found to be equitable.

This, in substance, is the offer under which committees were working when the strikes were called. The three can shops of the company employ nearly 6,000 persons. The workers at one plant voted during the day to return under the proposition and the others will decide at once.

The company is said to have renewed the offer after complaint had been made by N. Salopoulos, Greek consul for Chicago, that his countrymen were being victimized by employment agencies furnishing help for the shops.

Painters Delay in Arbitration.

Arbitration, which was formally offered by the master painters, was not accepted last night by the district council of the union. The committee which met the employers in the morning recommended the acceptance of the proposition in order that the strikers might return to work at once. Instead of following this advice the council referred the matter back to the committee for further conferences with the master painters.

"Why should we arbitrate?" asked one of the painters, voicing the thoughts of the radical majority. "We have got the bosses on the run. The thing for us to do is to stand out for our original demands, and in time we will get all we want."

Notes of Labor Affairs.

Sixty members of the Bindery Women's union struck at the printing plants of George E. Marshall & Co. and the Binner-Wells company. The union agents have not yet presented their ultimatum to the larger printing houses. Secretary Daniel C. Shelly of the Chicago Typotheta says the contest will not be well under way until the middle of next week.

The Federation of Labor sent a committee to Health Commissioner Reynolds to request investigation into the sanitary conditions at boarding houses conducted by the Western Steel Car and Foundry company at Hegewisch. Nonunion men are housed and fed there.

J. Reichel was fined $50 in the Chicago avenue police court for assaulting Charles Castor, a nonunion employé of R. Williamson & Co. The chandelier makers at the shop have been on strike since Jan. 1.

Without authority from their union, 100 hog butchers employed by the Hammond Packing company struck. They will be ordered back to work.

ALD. DUNN AIMS TO REVIVE HIS ANTI-PASS ORDINANCE.

Declares That Next Tuesday He Will Demand Reconsideration of the Vote by Which It Was Placed on File.

Ald. Dunn said yesterday that next Tuesday he would try for a reconsideration of the vote by which the anti-pass ordinance was placed on file. To secure it he must persuade an alderman who voted in the affirmative to make the motion, and he has not yet captured the alderman.

Most of the aldermen who voted for the ordinance were just as well pleased when it was beaten as were those on record against it.

"I hope to stay in the council long enough to see an anti-pass ordinance passed," said Ald. Dunn, the proposer of the defeated measure. "This system of receiving favors leaves a chance for constant petty graft. The saving is not more than $50 a year, and I do not want to be classed with men who will sell their self-respect for that amount."

Coal Contracts Are Let.—City coal contracts for the year were awarded during the day. All bids for West Virginia and Virginia coal were rejected because of threatened strikes. The awards were:

Busse Coal company—Chicago avenue pumping station, lump, $2.87; nut, $2.77.

Miami Coal company—Twenty-second street station, lump, $2.85; Springfield avenue station, lump, $2.53; Harrison street station, nut, $2.68; Washington Heights and Norwood Park, lump, $3.94.

Edgewater Coal company—Lake View station, lump, $3.65.

Dearborn Coal company—Sixty-eighth street station, lump, $2.37; city hall, lump, $2.75; Fourteenth street station, lump, $2.87.

Scully-Kostner Coal company—Central Park station, lump, $2.40; South Halsted street bridge, lump, $2.72.

Dearborn Coal company—(sewage stations, all lump) Seventieth street, $2.55; Seventy-third street, $2.55; Woodlawn, $2.90; Kensington, $2.90; Pullman, $2.55; Fullerton avenue, $2.50.

Man Ousted Sues City.—Ernest B. Stewart, who was ousted from his position as superintendent of milk inspection more than two years ago, brought suit against the city yesterday for $3,802 as back pay. The civil service commission refused to remove him, and Health Commissioner Reynolds employed another man under another title.

Wants a Crossing Changed.—The track elevation committee has recommended changing the crossing of the Western Indiana railroad at Sixty-third and Wallace streets so it will be supported by pillars in the street instead of longitudinal girders. Passengers boarding trains have been struck by the girders.

Refuses to Pay More.—The civil service commission refused to certify a pay roll allowing L. E. Gosselin the difference for nine months between the $3,000 pay as auditor and the $4,500 pay as deputy controller. He does the work of both offices.

Decision on Clarke Today.—The civil service commission will decide the Charles L. Clarke case at 2 p. m. today. It is generally expected the decision will be adverse to Clarke.

Starves Seven Days in a Mine.

Cumberland, Md., March 24.—Albert Cronkin, a miner of Henry, W. Va., has been brought to the hospital here, having been rescued after seven days' starvation in a coal mine. He was entombed by an explosion in which three were killed. Cronkin was badly burned, but, it is thought, will recover.

DIVORCE SUIT ENDS HER SECRET ROMANCE.



MRS. EVA MURRAY FAGAN

Bringing to light a romance for two years hidden in the marriage records of Chicago, two suits involving divorce and damages have been filed in the Circuit court.

In the divorce action Mrs. Eva Murray Fagan, 3804 Cottage Grove avenue, asks legal separation from John H. Fagan, with whom she never lived. In the damage suit the husband declares his mother-in-law, Mrs. Emma Murray, alienated his wife's affections. Fagan resides at 3856 Cottage Grove avenue, a few doors from the confectionery store in which his young wife has worked with her mother since her wedding day.

There was never any announcement of the ceremony by which 18 year old Eva Murray became the wife of John Fagan, and few of the acquaintances of the couple suspected they were married. The young woman's mother was long kept in ignorance.

Fagan was 20 years old at the time of his marriage and, except during a seven months' stay in California, has been living at his mother's residence.

ARRESTS MAN FOR SPITTING: MUST READ DAILY PAPERS.

Policeman Patrick Howe Makes a Capture, but Receives Little Encouragement at Harrison Street Station.

Policeman Patrick Howe of the Harrison street police station made a heroic effort yesterday to revive Chief O'Neill's anti-spitting crusade. He arrested John McDuff for carelessly, wantonly, and maliciously spitting on the pavement. But Howe got little encouragement from his brother officers at the station, who haven't arrested a spitter for days.

The Harrison street police precinct is the special preserve of that genus of spitters who stand on one corner till they have encircled the lamppost with an amber ring, and then move on to the next.

Chief O'Neill declared that he would publish his anti-spitting order in the police bulletin today as a spur to the relaxed energies of the force in his latest crusade.

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NEW SPORADIC CRUSADE BEGUN.

This Time the Police Hunt Those Who Give Away Cigaret Papers Without a License.

Another "sporadic" crusade was revived by the police yesterday, when they arrested seven men for giving away cigaret papers with tobacco, though lacking a cigaret license. Warrants were secured for six others, and Justice Prindiville imposed fines of $25 and costs upon Henry Gents, 14 South Water street, and John Smelling, 38 Clark street.

Those arrested were:
A. Sefferman, 185 Washington street.
A. Edelman, 103 Van Buren street.
John Brady, 64 Adams street.
E. M. Hursh, 89 Fifth avenue.
C. M. Maurer, 190 Clark street.
M. Echelburg, 10 State street.
J. W. McKay, 213 Fifth avenue.

Casler & Beveridge, 30 State street, and Mrs. A. Mellis, 1404 Wabash avenue, were fined $10 and costs each by Justice Gibbons in the afternoon for selling milk below grade.

The following were fined for violation of the ordinance relating to fire escapes:
J. Solomon, 236 East Division street; two cases, $100 and costs in each.
Regelin, Jenson & Co., Reaper block, $100 and costs.
A. Ziegenhagen, 1137 West Twelfth street; $100 and costs.

Win Places in Knox-Beloit Debate.

Galesburg, Ill., March 24.—[Special.]—In the Knox college preliminary tonight Willard Lamp of Omaha; Lyman Wilson, Galesburg, and George Jackson, Iberia, Mo., won places in the coming joint debate with Beloit.

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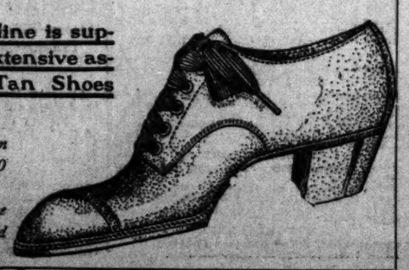
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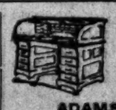
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